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FOREWORD

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THE COMMONWEALTH'S LABOR MARKET

LABOR FORCE DEVELOPMENTS

Virginia's unemployment rate decreased 0.1 percent to 4.2 percent in October. The number of jobless workers was down 4,600 to 134,900. The reduced Virginia jobless figure resulted from seasonal harvest-related gains in agriculture and among the self-employed, plus the student job seekers present in September leaving the labor force by October. The above events were enough to offset several sizeable temporary layoffs in Southside Virginia's textile and apparel industry and lower October's statewide unemployment 0.1 percent. The October 4.2 percent Virginia jobless rate was identical to the October 1989 rate and was well below the U. S. October 1990 level of 5.4 percent. All major areas, except Roanoke, followed the statewide trend to lower unemployment.

UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE CLAIMS

During the October 7-13 reference period, the labor force gain of 22,800 to 3,238,800 was less than the 27,400 rise in total employment, thus the 4,600 reduction in unemployment. There were approximately 40,000 Virginians drawing jobless benefits in October compared to 38,000 in September and 36,000 in October 1989. New claims for benefits because of the textile and apparel layoffs increased to 10,200 per week, up from 6,000 per week in September and 4,600 per week last October.

NONFARM WAGE AND SALARY EMPLOYMENT AND EARNINGS AND HOURS WORKED

Nonagricultural wage and salary employment in Virginia decreased by 2,400 jobs to 2,935,200 in October, but nonfarm employment was still 30,400 or 1.0 percent above the October 1989 level. The October nonfarm job reduction was primarily the result of temporary layoffs in the textile and apparel segments of manufacturing (-6,100 to 415,700). Seasonal losses, normal for this time of year, were also recorded in the resort portion of services (-4,300 to 745,900), construction (-4,200 to 189,800), and finance-insurance-real estate (-1,700 to 154,400). Mine employment, at 16,400, was down 200. The above losses were partially offset by gains in government, trade, and transportation. Total government employment added 11,100 jobs to 587,600 as the state's schools and colleges brought staffs up to full strength for the fall semester. Both trade (+2,300 to 670,600) and transportation-public utilities (+700 to 154,800) began adding workers in preparation for the year-end holidays. The average weekly wage of Virginia's 312,100 factory production workers, at $412.05, was down $3.29 from September, but was $8.40 above last October. The production workweek, at 40.2 hours, was down 0.6 hour from September and 1.2 hours from October 1989. The average hourly production wage, at $10.25, rose $.07 over the month and $.50 over the year.

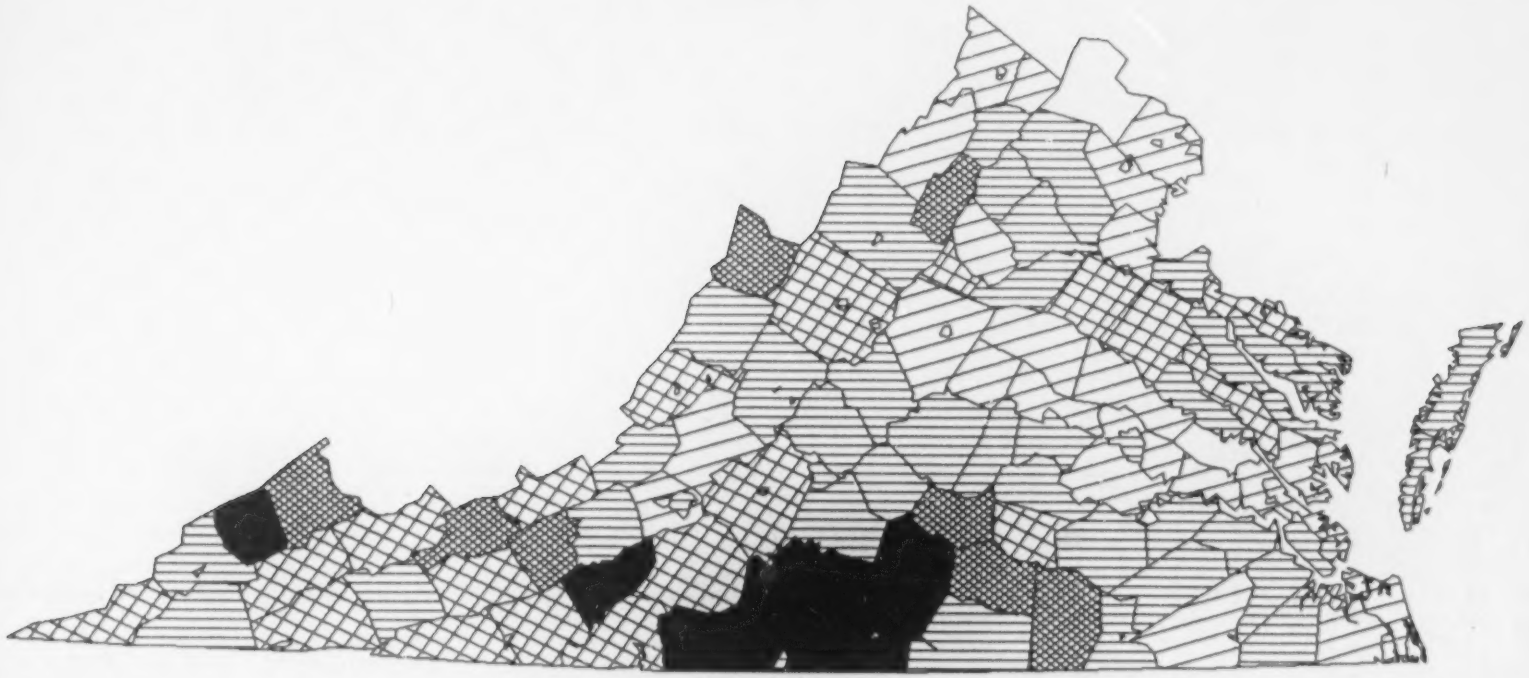
JOBLESS TRENDS ACROSS THE STATE

Four of the five major metropolitan areas followed the state trend to lower unemployment in October. The Roanoke area, where unemployment increased from 3.8 percent to 4.1 percent, seemed to be attracting some workers furloughed in adjoining areas. Fewer student job seekers accounted for lower unemployment in several metro areas. Among the individual cities and counties, Lexington City, at 1.1 percent, had the lowest jobless rate; and Martinsville City, because of temporary textile layoffs during the reference week, had the highest rate at 15.7 percent.

OUTLOOK

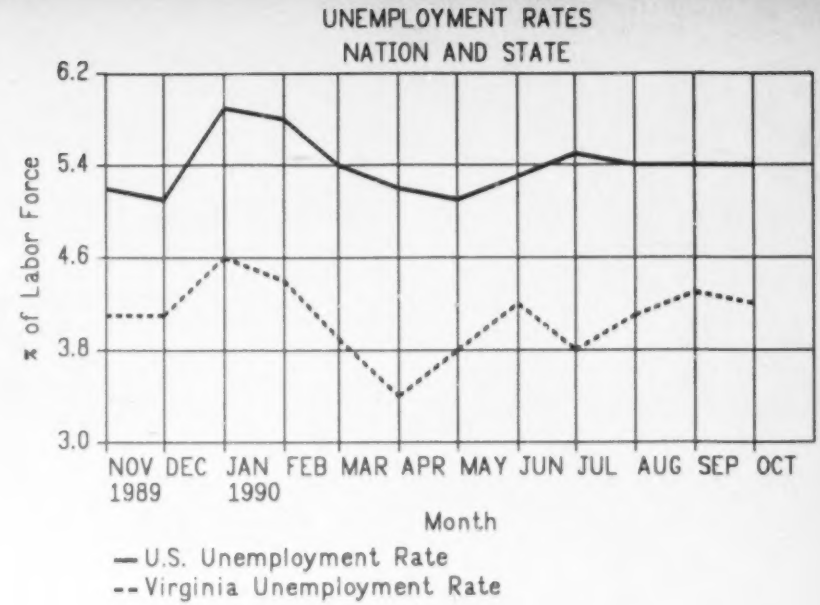
We project Virginia's November unemployment rate to be about 4.5 percent. Temporary textile and apparel layoffs will continue to occur in November and people will be looking for holiday employment. At the same time, the retail, services, and transportation sectors will be adding extra holiday workers.

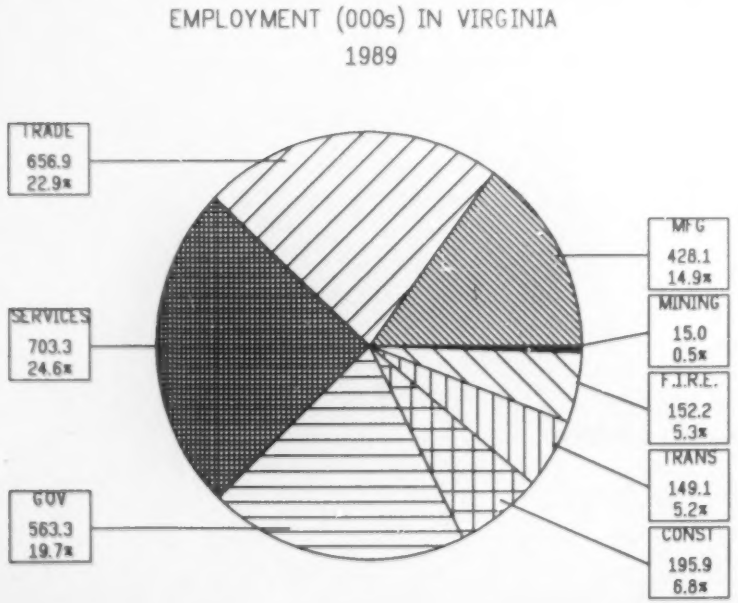
UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
OCTOBER 1990

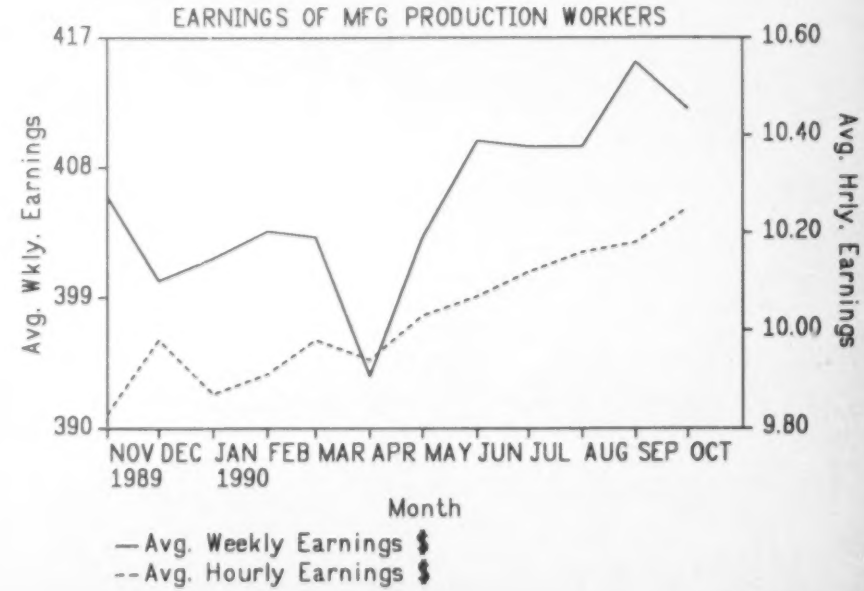


STATE OF VIRGINIA - OCTOBER 1990 HIGHLIGHTS

- Total nonagricultural employment declined 2,400 jobs this month to 2,935,200 jobs but was 30,400 jobs above October 1989.
- Goods-producing employment declined 10,500 jobs, reflecting employment losses in manufacturing (-6,100), construction (-4,200), and mining (-200).
- Service-producing employment advanced 8,100 jobs this month. Employment gains occurred in government (+11,100), trade (+2,300), and transportation (+700), while losses occurred in services (-4,300), and finance (-1,700).
- Factory production workers earned an average weekly wage of $412.05, which was down $3.29 from September but was $8.40 above last October.
- The average hourly production wage, at $10.25, rose $.07 over the month and $.50 over the year.
- The production workweek, at 40.2 hours, was down 0.6 from September and 1.2 hours from October 1989.
- The harvest and seasonal factors lowered the unemployment rate 0.1 percent to 4.2 percent in spite of the Southside textile layoffs.







ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN VIRGINIA
(EMPLOYMENT DATA IN THOUSANDS)

AREA: STATEWIDE

INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC89	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL	2904.8	2919.0	2913.4	2870.0	2875.7	2897.6	2915.8	2938.2	2960.3	2932.1	2925.8	2937.6	2935.2
GOODS PRODUCING	645.1	641.5	631.8	625.2	625.3	628.8	632.3	634.6	638.7	637.0	636.5	632.4	621.9
MINING	14.8	14.9	15.2	15.3	15.1	15.9	16.3	16.5	16.6	16.6	16.7	16.6	16.4
CONSTRUCTION	199.8	197.2	188.4	185.0	186.2	189.9	194.4	195.7	198.0	198.9	197.7	194.0	189.8
MANUFACTURING	430.5	429.4	428.2	424.9	424.0	423.0	421.6	422.4	424.1	421.5	422.1	421.8	415.7
DURABLE GOODS	205.1	204.3	204.1	202.9	203.4	202.9	202.8	202.7	203.8	201.9	201.5	200.4	199.5
LUMBER & WOOD PRODS.	25.6	25.2	25.1	25.3	25.4	25.4	25.3	25.6	25.4	25.5	25.5	25.3	25.0
MILLWORK, PLYWOOD	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.1	9.0
FURNITURE & FIXTURES	23.3	23.2	23.1	23.4	23.2	22.9	22.7	22.2	22.3	20.8	22.0	21.9	22.0
STONE, CLAY, GLASS	15.6	15.5	15.4	15.2	15.4	15.3	15.4	15.4	15.8	15.8	15.9	15.7	15.6
PRIMARY METAL IND.	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.3	11.3	11.2	10.9	10.9	10.9
FABRICATED METAL	18.5	18.4	18.3	18.2	17.9	17.8	17.9	17.9	17.9	17.9	17.9	17.9	17.9
FABR STRUCT METAL PR	11.1	11.0	11.0	11.0	10.7	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.6	10.5	10.5
INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY	21.0	21.0	21.2	21.1	21.1	21.2	21.1	21.1	21.2	21.2	21.0	20.6	20.6
CONSTRUCT & RELATED	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1
SPECIAL IND. MACH.	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
COMPUTER & OFFICE	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.1	3.3
REFRIG & SVCE MACH	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.3	2.3
ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	33.3	33.2	33.3	33.3	33.2	33.2	33.0	32.9	32.9	32.7	32.3	32.1	31.6
ELECTRIC INDUSTRIAL	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.1
COMMUNICATIONS EQUIP	13.7	13.7	13.8	13.8	13.7	13.6	13.5	13.5	13.4	13.3	13.1	12.9	12.7
TRANSPORTATION EQUIP.	43.0	43.0	42.8	41.5	42.4	42.6	42.9	43.4	44.1	44.0	43.5	43.6	43.3
INSTRUMENTS & RELATED	10.0	10.0	10.1	10.1	10.1	9.9	9.9	9.8	9.8	9.8	9.7	9.6	9.7
MISC MANUFACTURING	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.9
NONDURABLE GOODS	225.4	225.1	224.1	222.0	220.6	220.1	218.8	219.7	220.3	219.6	220.6	221.4	216.2
FOOD & KINDRED PROD.	37.3	37.9	37.2	35.7	35.4	35.3	35.0	35.4	35.6	35.8	36.4	37.4	38.2
MEAT PRODUCTS	15.1	15.4	15.3	15.1	15.3	15.3	14.9	15.1	15.1	15.2	15.4	15.4	15.7
DAIRY PRODUCTS	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.2
BAKERY PRODUCTS	4.0	4.1	4.1	3.8	3.7	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.9	4.0	4.1
BEVERAGES	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2
TOBACCO PRODUCTS	14.4	14.3	14.2	14.2	14.1	13.8	13.3	13.3	13.2	13.2	14.4	14.6	14.3
TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	41.9	41.7	41.8	41.6	41.0	40.9	40.7	40.9	40.5	40.8	40.8	40.5	35.9
BRDWVN-COT,MANM,WOOL	15.9	15.8	15.9	15.9	15.6	15.4	15.2	15.1	14.6	14.4	14.6	14.6	14.6
NARROW FABRIC MILLS	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4
KNITTING MILLS	18.0	17.9	17.9	17.7	17.4	17.4	17.6	17.7	17.8	18.4	18.2	17.9	13.5
TXTLE FINISH,EX WOOL	2.6	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6

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INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
YARN & THREAD MILLS	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.3
MISC TEXTILE GOODS	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
APPAREL & OTHER TXTLE	29.2	28.8	28.6	28.4	28.4	28.7	28.3	28.3	28.6	27.2	27.9	27.5	26.4
MENS,BOYS SUITS,COAT	7.4	7.3	7.2	7.1	6.7	7.0	6.9	6.7	7.0	6.7	6.8	6.5	5.6
WMN'S,CHILDS OUT-UND	16.4	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.3	16.2	15.9	16.1	15.9	14.9	15.6	15.4	15.4
PAPER & ALLIED	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.2	16.1	15.9	15.9	15.9	16.0	15.9	15.9	15.8	15.9
PULP,PAPER,PAPERBORD	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.2	8.1	8.1	8.2
PRINTING & PUBLISHING	35.2	35.4	35.7	35.7	35.7	35.8	35.9	36.0	36.3	36.6	36.1	35.9	36.0
NEWSPAPERS, PERIODIC	15.2	15.5	15.7	15.6	15.5	15.5	15.6	15.5	15.7	15.7	15.5	15.4	15.5
COMMERCIAL PRINTING	13.2	13.2	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.6	13.4	13.5	13.6	13.6	13.7	13.7	13.7
CHEMICALS & ALLIED	31.3	30.8	30.7	30.6	30.3	30.1	30.1	30.2	30.2	30.0	29.7	29.4	29.4
PLASTICS MATERIALS	18.0	17.4	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.2	17.1	17.2	17.3	17.4	17.2	17.0	17.0
RUBBER & MISC PLASTIC	17.5	17.6	17.4	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.3	17.4	17.5	17.7	17.0	17.9	17.8
OTHER NONDURABLE GOOD	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3
SERVICE PRODUCING	2259.7	2277.5	2281.6	2244.8	2250.4	2268.8	2283.5	2303.6	2321.6	2295.1	2289.3	2305.2	2313.3
TRANSPORT & PUB UTILS	151.7	152.6	154.0	152.9	152.7	153.5	152.7	153.4	155.2	154.6	153.8	154.1	154.8
RAILROAD TRANSPORT	9.7	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.7	9.8	9.7	9.7	9.6	9.5	9.5
TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE	36.4	36.8	37.8	36.3	36.4	36.3	36.0	36.7	37.3	37.0	36.5	37.0	37.6
COMMUNICATIONS	42.7	43.2	43.4	43.2	43.0	42.9	42.9	43.0	43.4	43.2	42.9	42.4	42.3
ELECTRIC,GAS,SANITARY	20.9	20.9	20.9	20.6	20.8	20.9	20.7	20.8	21.0	20.9	21.1	21.2	20.9
TRADE	665.0	678.5	685.2	659.6	649.3	652.9	659.1	666.2	672.7	674.0	674.8	668.3	670.6
WHOLESALE TRADE	142.9	142.7	142.6	141.8	141.7	141.8	141.8	141.9	143.0	143.4	143.2	142.5	142.6
WHOLESALE - DURABLES	88.3	88.4	88.4	87.9	87.9	87.9	87.8	87.7	88.1	88.4	88.0	87.0	86.6
WHOLESALE -NONDURABLE	54.6	54.3	54.2	53.9	53.8	53.9	54.0	54.2	54.9	55.0	55.2	55.5	56.0
RETAIL TRADE	522.1	535.8	542.6	517.8	507.6	511.1	517.3	524 3	529.7	530.6	531.6	525.8	528.0
GENERAL MERCHANDISE	73.9	81.4	84.3	75.1	68.1	68.7	68.6	68.9	70.1	70.0	70.4	69.4	71.5
DEPARTMENT STORES	54.2	60.2	62.3	55.8	49.8	50.0	49.9	50.0	51.4	51.2	51.3	50.6	51.4
VARIETY STORES	15.5	16.7	17.2	15.2	14.4	14.9	14.8	14.9	14.6	14.7	14.9	14.7	15.8
FOOD STORES	87.7	89.6	89.1	87.8	87.2	87.0	87.7	88.9	89.5	89.0	88.8	88.6	89.5
AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS	58.2	58.0	57.9	57.5	57.6	58.0	58.4	58.8	59.2	59.2	59.3	58.9	57.9
APPAREL & ACCESSORY	30.7	32.3	34.2	31.1	30.0	30.1	30.3	30.8	31.2	30.9	31.7	31.1	31.5
FURN, HOMEFURN, EQUIP	25.6	26.3	27.0	25.8	25.3	25.3	25.1	24.8	24.9	25.2	25.2	24.9	25.1
EATING & DRINKING	155.0	155.2	153.9	149.7	150.0	151.4	156.0	159.5	162.3	164.0	164.0	161.0	159.2
MISC RETAIL	68.9	71.3	74.3	69.8	68.4	68.5	68.5	69.1	69.1	69.4	69.7	69.4	70.9
FINANCE,INS.,REAL EST.	152.9	153.6	153.7	153.2	153.6	154.2	155.1	155.4	157.7	158.1	157.5	156.1	154.4
DEPOSITORY INSTNS	54.2	54.4	54.8	54.8	54.7	55.1	55.0	54.9	55.5	55.4	55.0	54.4	54.3
NONDEPOSITORY INSTNS	9.9	10.3	10.2	10.3	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.2	10.1	10.1	10.1

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INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
SECURITY & COMMODITY	5.8	5.9	5.8	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.9	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	**5.9**
INSURANCE CARRIERS	25.5	25.5	25.7	25.8	25.6	25.6	25.9	26.1	26.2	26.3	26.2	26.1	**26.2**
REAL ESTATE	38.9	38.8	38.4	38.1	38.5	38.6	39.2	39.3	40.8	41.0	40.9	40.2	**38.8**
SERVICES	714.4	711.1	707.1	701.1	708.7	719.6	728.3	734.8	749.4	748.4	749.9	750.2	**745.9**
HOTELS & OTHR LODGING	45.3	43.7	42.3	39.7	39.9	41.0	43.0	45.3	46.7	47.7	47.6	46.1	**44.5**
PERSONAL SERVICES	32.5	32.8	33.1	33.8	35.4	36.1	35.9	33.7	33.6	33.2	33.3	33.5	**33.7**
AUTO REPAIR & PARKING	21.3	21.2	21.2	20.9	21.1	21.3	21.6	21.8	22.1	22.2	22.3	22.3	**22.3**
MISC REPAIR SERVICES	8.4	8.3	8.3	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.4	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.8	**8.9**
MOTION PICTURES	7.6	7.7	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.8	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.2	7.9	**7.8**
AMUSEMENT, RECREATION	22.7	20.5	19.5	18.9	19.4	22.1	24.5	27.1	31.8	33.6	33.2	29.1	**24.8**
HEALTH SERVICES	159.9	160.9	161.0	161.1	162.1	163.6	164.2	164.7	166.7	166.8	167.6	167.9	**168.5**
HOSPITALS	79.4	79.9	80.0	80.4	80.8	81.6	81.6	81.6	82.7	82.7	82.8	82.9	**83.3**
EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	35.4	35.6	34.9	35.1	36.1	36.1	35.7	34.8	33.0	27.3	27.4	34.0	**35.2**
TOTAL GOVERNMENT	575.7	581.7	581.6	578.0	586.1	588.6	588.3	593.8	586.6	560.0	553.3	576.5	**587.6**
TOTAL FEDERAL GOVT.	177.6	178.6	180.2	180.4	180.6	182.3	181.1	186.6	183.8	182.7	180.0	176.9	**176.2**
TOTAL STATE & LOCAL	398.1	403.1	401.4	397.6	405.5	406.3	407.2	407.2	402.8	377.3	373.3	399.6	**411.4**
TOTAL STATE GOVT.	141.9	143.2	142.5	139.0	143.5	143.2	144.1	142.3	135.1	130.3	129.9	142.3	**145.4**
TOTAL LOCAL GOVT.	256.2	259.9	258.9	258.6	262.0	263.1	263.1	264.9	267.7	247.0	243.4	257.3	**266.0**

THE CATEGORY "OTHER NONDURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE PETROLEUM & COAL PRODUCTS AND THE LEATHER & LEATHER PRODUCTS INDUSTRIES.

VIRGINIA MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
AVERAGE EARNINGS & HOURS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

AREA: STATEWIDE

INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
MANUFACTURING	$412.05	$415.34	$403.65	$10.25	$10.18	$9.75	40.2	40.8	41.4
DURABLE GOODS	$405.78	$410.93	$402.27	$9.97	$9.95	$9.67	40.7	41.3	41.6
LUMBER & WOOD PRODS.	$300.29	$310.85	$291.61	$7.82	$7.83	$7.42	38.4	39.7	39.3
FURNITURE & FIXTURES	$280.60	$279.18	$272.40	$7.14	$7.05	$6.81	39.3	39.6	40.0
STONE, CLAY, GLASS	$407.89	$399.73	$382.45	$9.62	$9.54	$9.02	42.4	41.9	42.4
PRIMARY METAL IND.	$443.36	$468.23	$456.66	$10.84	$10.94	$10.62	40.9	42.8	43.0
FABRICATED METAL	$430.03	$455.61	$433.39	$10.54	$10.67	$10.27	40.8	42.7	42.2
FABR STRUCT METAL PR	$398.26	$424.66	$404.80	$9.69	$9.83	$9.48	41.1	43.2	42.7
INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY	$403.41	$421.26	$397.57	$10.06	$10.03	$9.58	40.1	42.0	41.5
CONSTRUCT & RELATED	$447.73	$471.58	$460.12	$10.51	$10.55	$10.41	42.6	44.7	44.2
SPECIAL IND. MACH.	$515.91	$527.56	$497.39	$11.97	$12.10	$11.33	43.1	43.6	43.9
COMPUTER & OFFICE	$369.02	$378.10	$370.46	$9.56	$9.50	$8.97	38.6	39.8	41.3
REFRIG & SVCE MACH	$326.19	$381.71	$338.89	$9.51	$9.22	$8.43	34.3	41.4	40.2
ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	$428.08	$423.29	$412.29	$10.12	$9.89	$9.77	42.3	42.8	42.2
ELECTRIC INDUSTRIAL	$457.08	$455.31	$453.13	$11.69	$11.44	$11.53	39.1	39.8	39.3
COMMUNICATIONS EQUIP	$467.50	$475.68	$425.32	$10.32	$9.91	$9.80	45.3	48.0	43.4
INSTRUMENTS & RELATED	$362.09	$376.24	$392.45	$8.46	$8.59	$8.76	42.8	43.8	44.8
MISC MANUFACTURING	$365.43	$361.56	$344.06	$9.37	$9.20	$8.96	39.0	39.3	38.4
NONDURABLE GOODS	$416.85	$419.76	$404.17	$10.50	$10.39	$9.81	39.7	40.4	41.2
FOOD & KINDRED PROD.	$387.87	$390.05	$381.31	$9.53	$9.56	$8.93	40.7	40.8	42.7
TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	$298.17	$304.20	$312.66	$7.93	$7.80	$7.48	37.6	39.0	41.8
BRDWVN-COT,MANM,WOOL	$321.95	$326.01	$340.59	$8.13	$8.13	$8.09	39.6	40.1	42.1
KNITTING MILLS	$277.03	$290.29	$293.94	$8.03	$7.70	$7.10	34.5	37.7	41.4
TXTLE FINISH,EX WOOL	$272.31	$275.27	$250.20	$7.42	$7.46	$6.95	36.7	36.9	36.0
YARN & THREAD MILLS	$287.25	$295.20	$312.76	$7.50	$7.38	$7.19	38.3	40.0	43.5
MISC TEXTILE GOODS	$285.14	$288.41	$341.50	$7.33	$7.63	$7.44	38.9	37.8	45.9
APPAREL & OTHER TXTLE	$222.22	$225.45	$233.22	$6.19	$6.28	$5.98	35.9	35.9	39.0
MENS,BOYS SUITS,COAT	$223.70	$235.98	$264.00	$6.56	$6.88	$6.60	34.1	34.3	40.0
WMN'S,CHILDS OUT-UND	$211.70	$209.92	$217.11	$5.93	$5.93	$5.61	35.7	35.4	38.7
PAPER & ALLIED	$553.68	$559.44	$521.57	$12.67	$12.60	$11.99	43.7	44.4	43.5
PULP,PAPER,PAPERBORD	$665.76	$668.16	$631.53	$15.34	$15.22	$14.79	43.4	43.9	42.7
PRINTING & PUBLISHING	$423.75	$455.26	$444.26	$11.24	$11.41	$11.45	37.7	39.9	38.8
NEWSPAPERS, PERIODIC	$370.39	$369.47	$359.22	$11.19	$11.23	$10.82	33.1	32.9	33.2
CHEMICALS & ALLIED	$546.42	$550.84	$535.19	$13.36	$13.37	$12.99	40.9	41.2	41.2
PLASTICS MATERIALS	$564.10	$571.78	$547.80	$13.86	$13.98	$13.20	40.7	40.9	41.5

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENTS, NEW BUSINESSES AND EXPANSIONS, AND MONTHLY ANALYSIS OF THE METROPOLITAN AREA LABOR MARKETS

Economic activity in the Commonwealth of Virginia during Third Quarter 1990 totaled 2,385 new jobs, representing the announcements of 31 manufacturing and nonmanufacturing companies. Employment was down compared to Third Quarter 1989, when 3,021 new jobs were announced. Total investment was $262.6 million, down almost 48 percent compared to the same period last year, when Westvaco Corporation announced an unprecedented $400 million expansion.

Despite a slower third quarter, results for the first nine months of this year are similar to those for the same period a year ago. Thus far in 1990, a total 12,550 new jobs have been announced, a 3.8 percent increase. Total investment of almost $1.07 billion was almost equal to the $1.1 billion for the first three quarters of 1989.

Twenty-five manufacturing firms announced plans for 1,557 new jobs in the third quarter. Thirteen existing facilities announced plans for expansion that will create 790 new jobs. Twelve new plants will provide the remaining 767 jobs. Nine companies announced plans to hire 100 or more new persons, with two firms expecting to add 200 new jobs. They were: **Camac Corp.**, Washington County; and **H. L. Hartz and Sons, Inc.**, Rockingham County.

Thirteen of the 20 Manufacturing Standard Industrial Classification Codes experienced activity this quarter. Industries showing the largest number of new jobs were: Apparel (370 jobs); Textile Mill Products (200); and Industrial and Commercial Machinery and Computer Equipment (192). These three industries accounted for almost 50 percent of the manufacturing jobs announced.

Total manufacturing investment for the third quarter was $209.1 million. Fourteen firms reported investments of $2 million or more. Six companies announced investments of over $20 million. They were: **Mohawk Rubber Co.**, a $40 million expansion in Salem; **Owens-Brockway Glass Containers**, a $30 million expansion in James City County; **BBA Friction, Inc.**, a new $30 million facility in Pulaski County; **Camac Corp.**, a $25 million expansion in Washington County; **First Brands Corp.**, a $25 million facility in Amherst County; and **Kasei Virginia Corp.**, a new $21 million facility in Chesapeake.

Total nonmanufacturing activity accounted for 828 new jobs as a result of four new establishments and two expansions. Nonmanufacturing investment for the third quarter was $53.5 million. Among the nonmanufacturing announcements, **Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.** plans a new $50 million warehouse and distribution center in Dinwiddie County (500 jobs), and **AT&T** announced a dual-party relay service facility in Norton (100 positions).

METRO DEVELOPMENTS - Third Quarter 1990

Bristol MSA

Manufacturing

Firm	Location	New/Expansion	Product	Employment
Camac Corporation*	Washington Co.	Expansion	Polypropylene fibers	200
Visador Co.	Bristol	Expansion	Staircase risers	100

Lynchburg MSA

Manufacturing

Firm	Location	New/Expansion	Product	Employment
Exxon Chemical Co.	Lynchburg	New	Thermoplastic composites	40
First Brands Corp.	Amherst Co.	New	Plastic bags & wrap	100

Norfolk-Virginia Beach-Newport News MSA

Manufacturing

Firm	Location	New/Expansion	Product	Employment
Agglite Corp.	Chesapeake	New	Concrete products	No data
Alfa-Laval Separation, Inc.*	Chesapeake	New	Industrial centrifuges & service center	30
Graphe Manufacturing Corp.*	Newport News	Expansion	Mailroom systems	30
Harmony Products, Inc.	Chesapeake	New	Organic fertilizer	25
Kasei Virginia Corp.*	Chesapeake	New	Aluminum plastic composite	50
O & K Escalators, U.S.A., Inc.*	Newport News	New	Passenger transport systems	100
Polymax AS*	Hampton	New	Conveyor belts	7

Nonmanufacturing

Firm	Location	New/Expansion	Type of Facility	Employment
Pitney Bowes	Norfolk	Expansion	Customer support center	70

Richmond-Petersburg MSA

Manufacturing

Firm	Location	New/Expansion	Product	Employment
Alfit America, Inc.	Chesterfield Co.	Expansion	Metal drawer runners & U. S. headquarters	40
Fiorucci Foods Corp.*	Chesterfield Co.	Expansion	Meat products & distribution center	No data
Geith, Inc.*	Dinwiddie Co.	New	Heavy equip. attachments & U. S. hdqtrs.	25
Owens-Brockway Glass Containers	James City Co.	Expansion	Glass containers	No data

*Indicates foreign ownership.

Richmond-Petersburg MSA

Nonmanufacturing

Firm	Location	New/Expansion	Type of Facility	Employment
Virginia Linen Service, Inc.	Petersburg	Expansion	Commercial & industrial linen service	30
Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.	Dinwiddie Co.	New	Warehouse & distribution center	500
Whitbey Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	Richmond	New	Research & development	75

Roanoke MSA

Manufacturing

Firm	Location	New/Expansion	Product	Employment
Concrete Pipe & Products Co.	Salem	Expansion	Concrete pipe	No data
Mohawk Rubber Co.*	Salem	Expansion	Tires	100

NONMETRO DEVELOPMENTS - Third Quarter 1990

Manufacturing

Firm	Location	New/Expansion	Product	Employment
Action Sportswear	Brunswick Co.	New	Children's clothing	130
BBA Friction, Inc.*	Pulaski Co.	New	Automotive brake pads	110
Brodnax Apparel, Inc.	Brunswick Co.	Expansion	Girls' dresses	25
Dutailier, Inc.*	Martinsville	New	Wooden glider chairs	150
H. L. Hartz and Sons, Inc.	Rockingham Co.	Expansion	Coats	200
Pluma, Inc.	Henry Co.	Expansion	Fleece wear & distribution	15
Stowe Woodward Co.*	Frederick Co.	Expansion	Rubber & polyurethane covers	No data
VDO Yazaki Corp.*	Winchester	Expansion	Automotive instruments	80

Nonmanufacturing

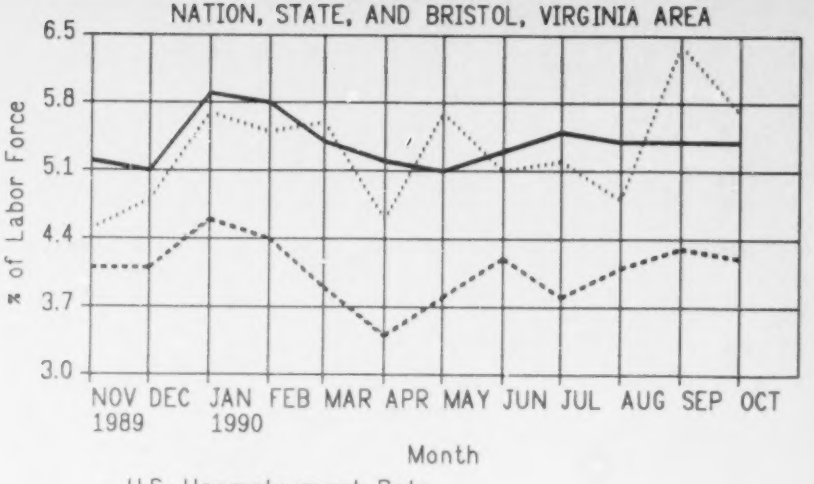
Firm	Location	New/Expansion	Product	Employment
AT&T	Norton	New	Dual-party relay service	100
Blizzards, Inc.	Tazewell Co.	New	Headquarters (mining supplies)	53

*Indicates foreign ownership

BRISTOL, VIRGINIA AREA - OCTOBER 1990 HIGHLIGHTS

- Total nonagricultural employment advanced 400 jobs this month to 33,500 jobs but was 100 jobs below October 1989.
- Goods-producing employment declined 100 jobs this month, with losses in machinery and electrical equipment and in apparel and other textiles.
- Service-producing employment increased 500 jobs this month, reflecting seasonal employment gains in government (+200), trade (+200), and transportation (+100).
- Factory production workers earned an average weekly wage of $299.79, which was down $36.21 from September and $6.71 from last October.
- Average hourly earnings increased $.19 this month to $8.59, $.85 above October 1989.
- An average workweek of 34.9 hours was 5.1 hours shorter than September and 4.7 hours shorter than October a year ago.
- Bristol's unemployment rate fell 0.7 percent this month to 5.7 percent.

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
NATION, STATE, AND BRISTOL, VIRGINIA AREA



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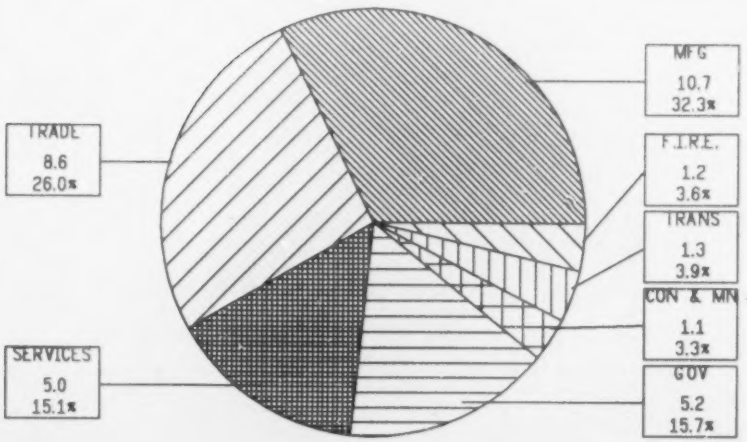

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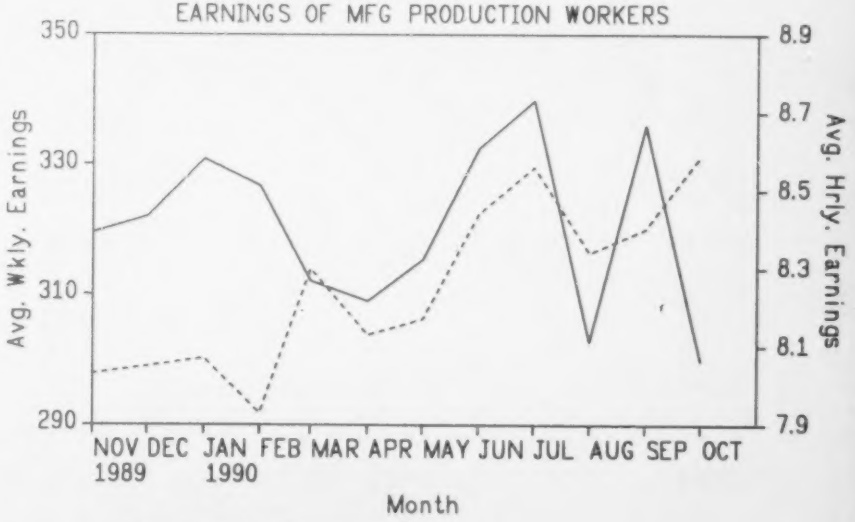


ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN VIRGINIA
(EMPLOYMENT DATA IN THOUSANDS)

AREA: BRISTOL MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL	33.6	33.6	34.1	33.4	33.8	33.8	33.3	33.6	33.7	32.9	33.2	33.1	33.5
GOODS PRODUCING	12.2	11.8	12.0	11.8	11.9	12.0	11.6	11.6	11.7	11.6	11.9	11.4	11.3
CONSTRUCTION & MINING	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3
MANUFACTURING	11.0	10.7	10.9	10.8	10.9	11.0	10.6	10.6	10.6	10.5	10.7	10.1	10.0
DURABLE GOODS	6.6	6.3	6.5	6.4	6.5	6.5	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.3	6.2	5.8	5.7
FABRICATED METAL	1.1	1.0	1.0	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
MACH & ELECTRIC EQUIP	4.2	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	3.9	3.5	3.4
OTHER DURABLE GOODS	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
NONDURABLE GOODS	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.5	4.3	4.3
APPAREL & OTHER TXTLE	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.8	1.8	1.7
OTHER NONDURABLE GOOD	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.5	2.6
SERVICE PRODUCING	21.4	21.8	22.1	21.6	21.9	21.8	21.7	22.0	22.0	21.3	21.3	21.7	22.2
TRANSPORT & PUB UTILS	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3
TRADE	8.6	8.9	9.1	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	8.9	9.1
WHOLESALE TRADE	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
RETAIL TRADE	6.6	6.9	7.1	6.8	6.8	6.8	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.2
FINANCE,INS.,REAL EST.	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1
SERVICES	5.1	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.2	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.2
TOTAL GOVERNMENT	5.2	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.5	5.4	5.3	5.6	5.6	5.0	5.0	5.3	5.5
TOTAL FEDERAL GOVT.	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.4
TOTAL STATE & LOCAL	4.8	4.9	5.0	4.9	5.1	4.9	4.9	5.1	5.2	4.5	4.6	4.9	5.1
TOTAL STATE GOVT.	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5
TOTAL LOCAL GOVT.	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.6	3.4	3.4	3.6	3.7	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.6

THE CATEGORY "OTHER DURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS; FURNITURE & FIXTURES; STONE, CLAY, & GLASS PRODUCTS; PRIMARY METAL; TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT; INSTRUMENTS & RELATED PRODUCTS; AND MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.
THE CATEGORY "OTHER NONDURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS; TOBACCO PRODUCTS; TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS; PAPER & ALLIED PRODUCTS; PRINTING & PUBLISHING; CHEMICAL & ALLIED PRODUCTS; PETROLEUM & COAL PRODUCTS; RUBBER & MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS; AND LEATHER & LEATHER PRODUCTS INDUSTRIES.

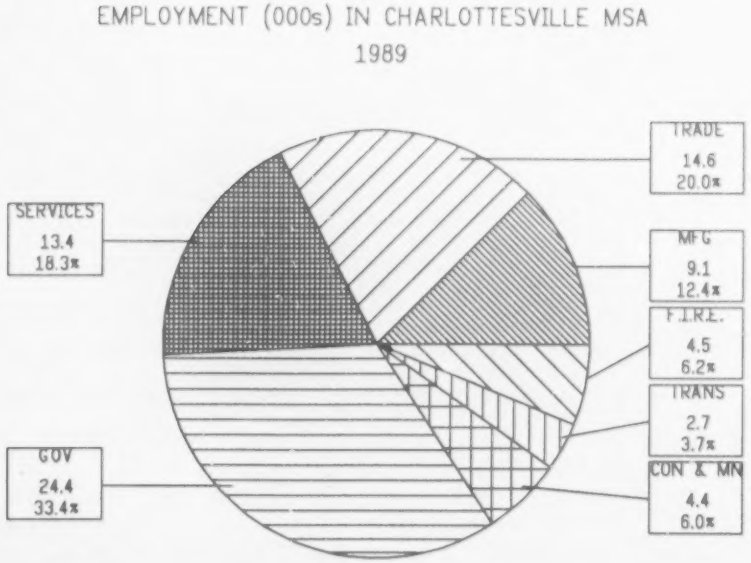
VIRGINIA MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
AVERAGE EARNINGS & HOURS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

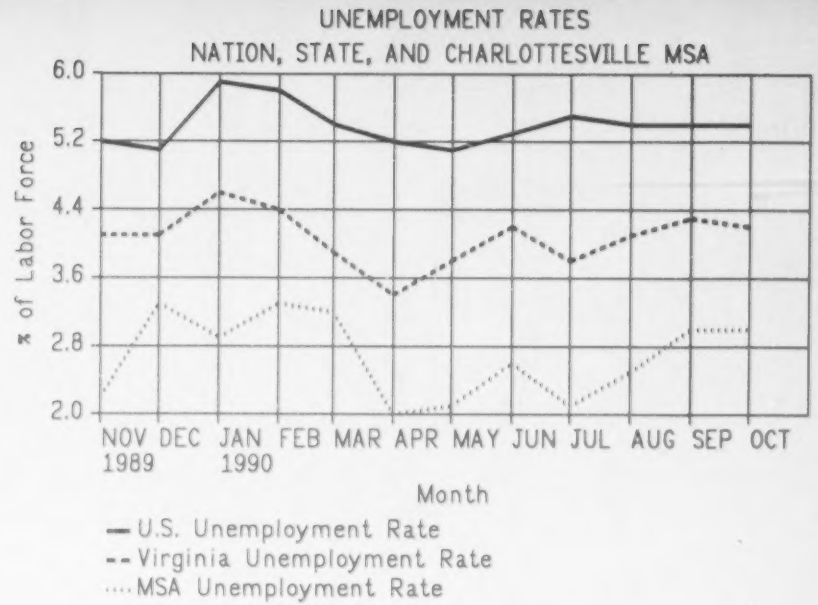
AREA: BRISTOL MSA

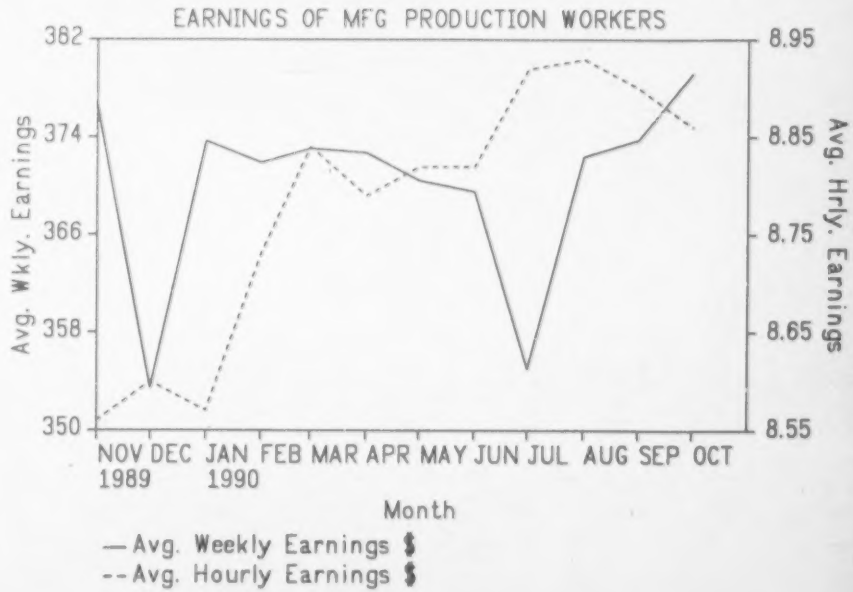
INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
MANUFACTURING	$299.79	$336.00	$306.50	$8.59	$8.40	$7.74	34.9	40.0	39.6
DURABLE GOODS	$331.06	$375.16	$343.14	$9.12	$8.89	$8.17	36.3	42.2	42.0
FABRICATED METAL	$483.99	$553.94	$456.67	$12.41	$11.99	$11.36	39.0	46.2	40.2
MACH & ELECTRIC EQUIP	$284.27	$350.26	$335.66	$8.72	$8.44	$7.77	32.6	41.5	43.2
NONDURABLE GOODS	$247.87	$271.54	$242.51	$7.58	$7.46	$6.87	32.7	36.4	35.3
APPAREL & OTHER TXTLE	$166.43	$217.29	$166.92	$6.21	$6.28	$5.35	26.8	34.6	31.2

CHARLOTTESVILLE MSA - OCTOBER 1990 HIGHLIGHTS

- Total nonagricultural employment advanced 400 jobs this month to 73,100 jobs and was 100 jobs above October 1989.
- In the goods-producing industries, construction and mine employment declined 200 jobs to 4,000 jobs, while manufacturing employment increased 100 jobs to 8,800.
- Service-producing employment increased 500 jobs this month, with seasonal employment gains in government (+400), trade (+100), and transportation (+100) outweighing the losses in services (-100).
- Factory production workers earned an average weekly wage of $379.21, which was up $5.41 from September and $7.69 from last October.
- Average hourly earnings declined $.04 this month to $8.86, but were still $.26 above October 1989.
- An average workweek of 42.8 hours was 0.8 hour longer than September but 0.4 hour shorter than October a year ago.
- Charlottesville's unemployment rate remained at 3.0 percent this month.







ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN VIRGINIA
(EMPLOYMENT DATA IN THOUSANDS)

AREA: CHARLOTTESVILLE MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL [1]	73.0	74.1	74.8	71.9	72.7	73.5	74.2	72.7	72.1	70.8	70.3	72.7	73.1
GOODS PRODUCING	13.6	13.7	13.5	13.1	13.1	13.3	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.2	13.3	12.9	12.8
CONSTRUCTION & MINING	4.5	4.5	4.3	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.2	4.0
MANUFACTURING	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.0	9.0	8.8	9.0	8.7	8.8
DURABLE GOODS	5.9	5.9	5.9	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.5	5.7	5.5	5.5
ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0
OTHER DURABLE GOODS	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.5
NONDURABLE GOODS	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3
FOOD & KINDRED PROD.	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7
OTHER NONDURABLE GOOD	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.6
SERVICE PRODUCING [1]	59.4	60.4	61.3	58.8	59.6	60.2	60.8	59.3	58.7	57.6	57.0	59.8	60.3
TRANSPORT & PUB UTILS	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9
TRADE	15.1	15.2	15.4	15.2	15.0	14.9	15.0	15.2	15.0	15.0	14.8	14.9	15.0
WHOLESALE TRADE	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
RETAIL TRADE	13.1	13.2	13.4	13.1	12.9	12.8	12.9	13.1	12.9	12.9	12.7	12.8	12.9
FINANCE,INS.,REAL EST.	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6
SERVICES	13.4	13.4	13.4	13.5	13.6	13.9	14.1	14.1	14.3	14.1	14.0	13.7	13.8
TOTAL GOVERNMENT [1]	23.7	24.5	25.1	22.8	23.7	24.1	24.3	22.7	21.9	21.0	20.8	23.8	24.2
TOTAL FEDERAL GOVT.	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.3	1.2	1.2
TOTAL STATE & LOCAL [1]	22.4	23.1	23.7	21.5	22.4	22.7	22.9	21.2	20.4	19.6	19.5	22.6	23.0
TOTAL STATE GOVT. [1]	16.9	17.9	18.1	15.9	16.8	17.1	17.2	15.5	14.6	14.8	14.7	16.9	17.2
TOTAL LOCAL GOVT.	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.8	4.8	4.8	5.7	5.8

THE CATEGORY "OTHER DURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS; FURNITURE & FIXTURES; STONE, CLAY, & GLASS PRODUCTS;PRIMARY METAL; FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS; INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT; TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT; INSTRUMENTS & RELATED PRODUCTS; AND MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.
THE CATEGORY "OTHER NONDURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE TOBACCO PRODUCTS; APPAREL & OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS; PAPER & ALLIED PRODUCTS; PRINTING & PUBLISHING; CHEMICAL & ALLIED PRODUCTS; PETROLEUM & COAL PRODUCTS; RUBBER & MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS; AND LEATHER & LEATHER PRODUCTS INDUSTRIES.

[1] Data reflects prebenchmark adjustments to state government.

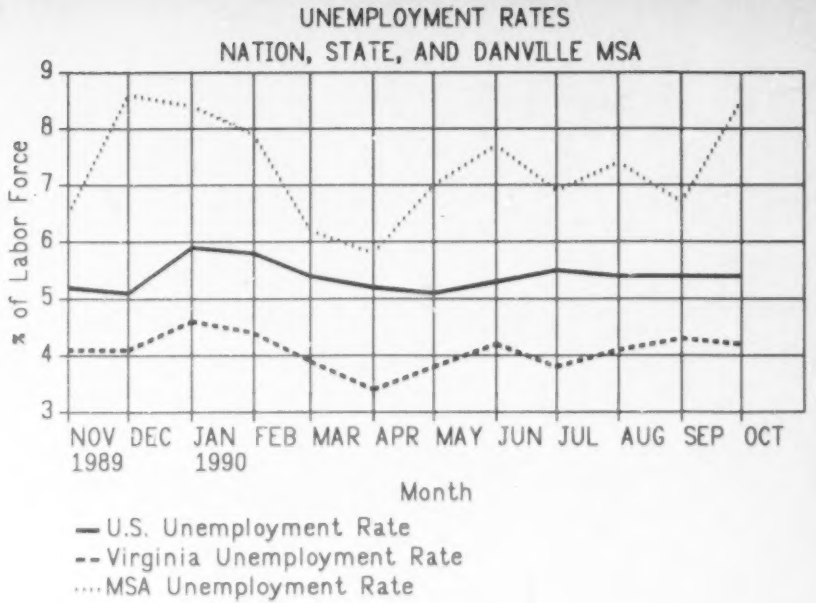
VIRGINIA MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
AVERAGE EARNINGS & HOURS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

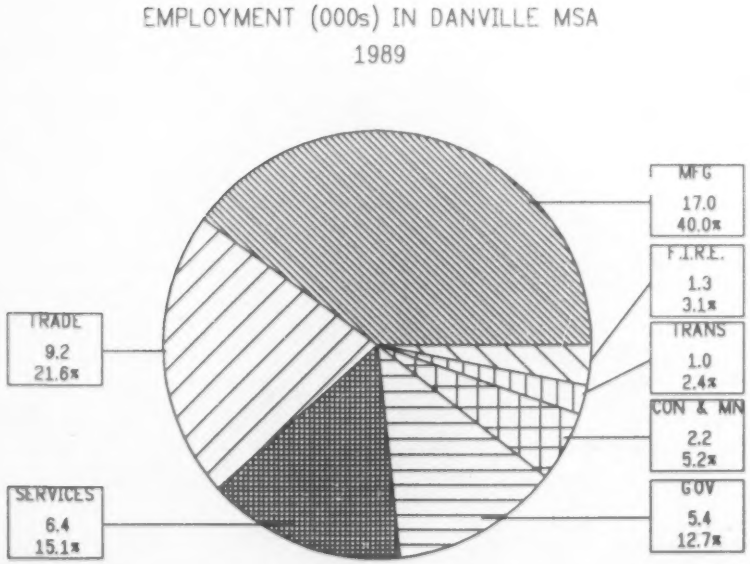
AREA: CHARLOTTESVILLE MSA

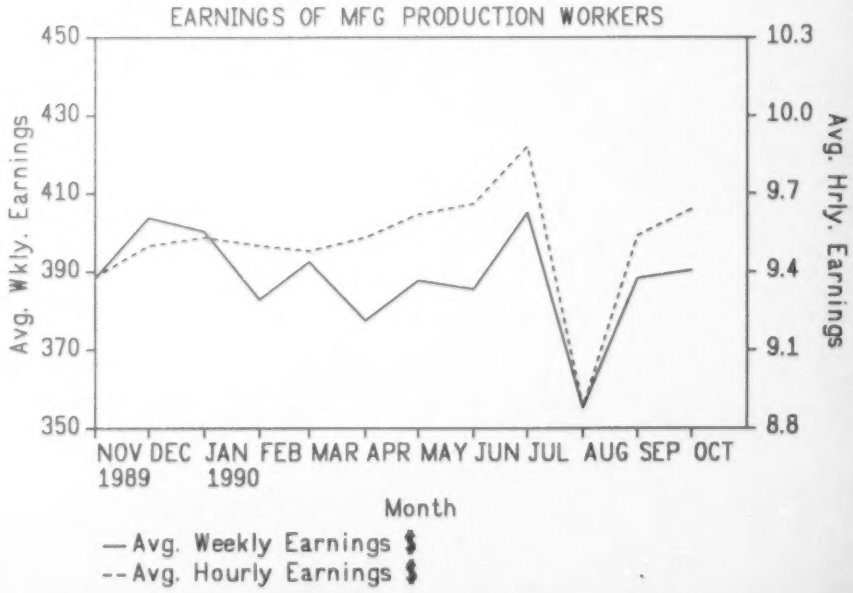
INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
MANUFACTURING	$379.21	$373.80	$371.52	$8.86	$8.90	$8.60	42.8	42.0	43.2
DURABLE GOODS	$350.14	$345.07	$354.24	$8.71	$8.67	$8.64	40.2	39.8	41.0
ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	$359.07	$354.42	$348.17	$8.91	$8.95	$8.77	40.3	39.6	39.7
NONDURABLE GOODS	$422.17	$418.60	$399.67	$9.04	$9.20	$8.54	46.7	45.5	46.8
TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	$321.06	$306.64	$347.32	$7.59	$7.59	$7.60	42.3	40.4	45.7

DANVILLE MSA - OCTOBER 1990 HIGHLIGHTS

- Total nonagricultural employment declined 300 jobs this month to 42,200 and was 1,700 jobs below October 1989.
- Goods-producing employment decreased 500 jobs this month, with losses in manufacturing (-400) and construction and mining (-100).
- Service-producing employment advanced 200 jobs this month, with the employment gains in trade (+300) outweighing the losses in services (-100).
- Factory production workers earned an average weekly wage of $390.42, which was up $2.14 from September and $10.97 from last October.
- Average hourly earnings rose $.10 this month to $9.64, $.43 above October 1989.
- An average workweek of 40.5 hours was 0.2 hour shorter than September and 0.7 hour shorter than October a year ago.
- Danville's unemployment rate was up 1.8 percent this month to 8.5 percent.







ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN VIRGINIA
(EMPLOYMENT DATA IN THOUSANDS)

AREA: DANVILLE MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL	43.9	43.8	43.4	43.3	42.9	42.5	42.4	42.4	41.8	41.2	40.7	42.5	42.2
GOODS PRODUCING	20.0	19.6	19.4	19.4	19.2	18.5	18.3	18.2	17.8	17.9	17.4	18.6	18.1
CONSTRUCTION & MINING	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1
MANUFACTURING	17.6	17.3	17.2	17.2	17.1	16.4	16.2	16.0	15.6	15.6	15.2	16.4	16.0
DURABLE GOODS	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.3	3.4	3.4
NONDURABLE GOODS	14.0	13.7	13.7	13.6	13.5	12.9	12.5	12.4	12.0	11.9	11.9	13.0	12.6
SERVICE PRODUCING	23.9	24.2	24.0	23.9	23.7	24.0	24.1	24.2	24.0	23.3	23.3	23.9	24.1
TRANSPORT & PUB UTILS	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
TRADE	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.2	9.0	9.1	9.3	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.6
WHOLESALE TRADE	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9
RETAIL TRADE	7.7	7.8	7.8	7.5	7.3	7.4	7.5	7.7	7.5	7.6	7.5	7.4	7.7
FINANCE,INS.,REAL EST.	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3
SERVICES	6.5	6.6	6.6	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.8	6.7
TOTAL GOVERNMENT	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.7	5.7	4.9	4.9	5.5	5.5
TOTAL FEDERAL GOVT.	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3
TOTAL STATE & LOCAL	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.4	4.6	4.6	5.2	5.2
TOTAL STATE GOVT.	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
TOTAL LOCAL GOVT.	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.4	3.6	3.6	4.2	4.2

VIRGINIA MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
AVERAGE EARNINGS & HOURS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

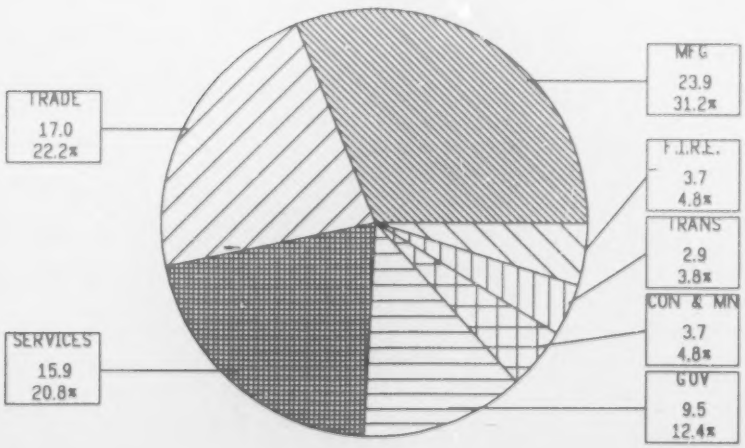
AREA: DANVILLE MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
MANUFACTURING	$390.42	$388.28	$379.45	$9.64	$9.54	$9.21	40.5	40.7	41.2
DURABLE GOODS	$439.19	$465.84	$400.41	$10.66	$10.66	$9.79	41.2	43.7	40.9
NONDURABLE GOODS	$376.80	$369.20	$373.27	$9.35	$9.23	$9.06	40.3	40.0	41.2

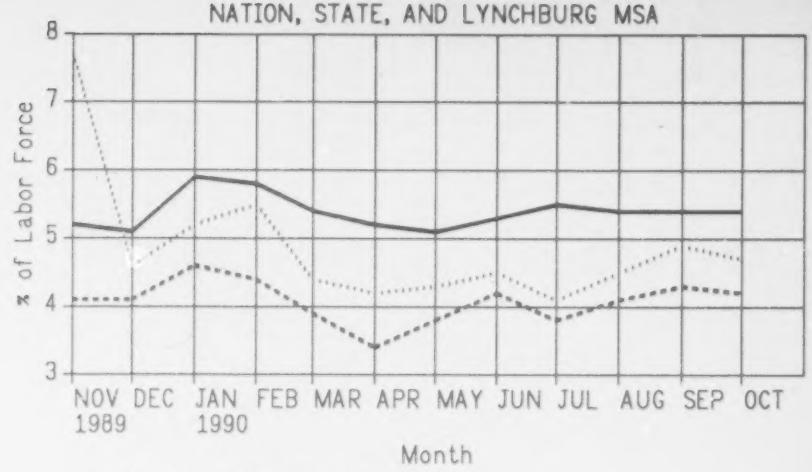
LYNCHBURG MSA - OCTOBER 1990 HIGHLIGHTS

- This month's total nonagricultural employment level of 78,000 jobs was 300 jobs above last month's and last year's figure.
- In the goods-producing industries, manufacturing employment advanced 100 jobs to 23,600 jobs, while construction and mine employment declined 100 jobs to 3,900 jobs.
- Service-producing employment increased 300 jobs this month, reflecting employment gains in trade (+200) and government (+100).
- Factory production workers earned an average weekly wage of $395.75, which was down $28.10 from September and $5.40 from last October.
- Average hourly earnings fell $.20 this month to $9.82, but were still $.20 above October 1989.
- An average workweek of 40.3 hours was 2.0 hours shorter than September and 1.4 hours shorter than October a year ago.
- Lynchburg's unemployment rate was down 0.2 percent this month to 4.7 percent.

EMPLOYMENT (000s) IN LYNCHBURG MSA
1989



UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
NATION, STATE, AND LYNCHBURG MSA



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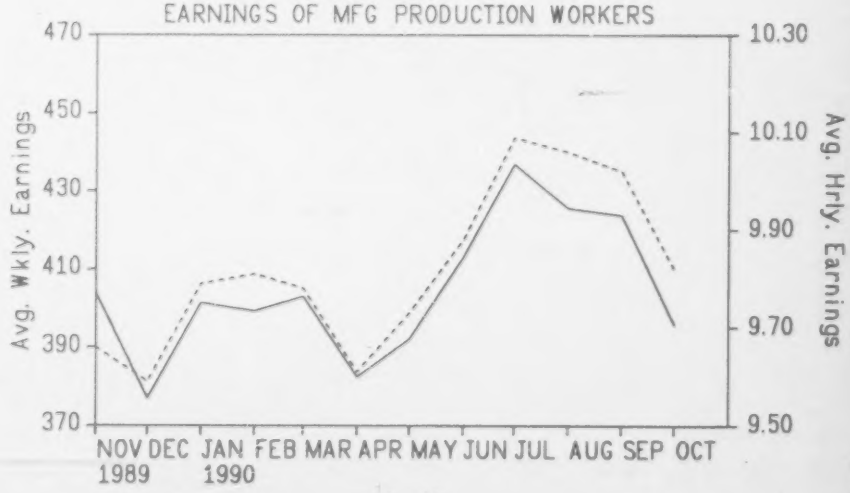
EARNINGS OF MFG PRODUCTION WORKERS



— Avg. Weekly Earnings $
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ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN VIRGINIA
(EMPLOYMENT DATA IN THOUSANDS)

AREA: LYNCHBURG MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL	77.7	77.9	77.4	77.2	77.6	77.3	77.8	78.2	78.3	76.2	76.1	77.7	78.0
GOODS PRODUCING	27.6	27.5	27.3	27.3	27.1	27.1	27.2	27.3	27.6	27.7	27.7	27.5	27.5
CONSTRUCTION & MINING	3.9	3.8	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.6	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0	4.0	3.9
MANUFACTURING	23.7	23.7	23.8	23.9	23.8	23.7	23.6	23.5	23.7	23.8	23.7	23.5	23.6
DURABLE GOODS	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.2	15.2	15.1	15.1	14.9	15.0	15.1	15.1	15.1	15.0
LUMBER,WOOD,FURNITURE	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2
PRIM, FABR METAL PROD	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0
OTHER DURABLE GOODS	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8
NONDURABLE GOODS	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.4	8.6
FOOD & KINDRED PROD.	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
TEXTILE MILL, APPAREL	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.1
PAPER,PRINTING,PUBL	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8
OTHER NONDURABLE GOOD	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1
SERVICE PRODUCING	50.1	50.4	50.1	49.9	50.5	50.2	50.6	50.9	50.7	48.5	48.4	50.2	50.5
TRANSPORT & PUB UTILS	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6
TRADE	17.3	17.5	17.5	17.1	17.2	17.0	17.3	17.8	17.6	17.6	17.4	17.5	17.7
WHOLESALE TRADE	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2
RETAIL TRADE	14.3	14.5	14.4	14.0	14.1	13.9	14.2	14.6	14.5	14.5	14.3	14.3	14.5
FINANCE,INS.,REAL EST.	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7
SERVICES	16.5	16.6	16.3	16.5	17.0	16.8	16.9	16.7	16.7	14.9	15.0	16.6	16.6
TOTAL GOVERNMENT	9.6	9.6	9.6	9.7	9.8	9.9	9.9	10.0	10.0	9.6	9.7	9.8	9.9
TOTAL FEDERAL GOVT.	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5
TOTAL STATE & LOCAL	9.1	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.3	9.4	9.0	9.1	9.3	9.4
TOTAL STATE GOVT.	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7
TOTAL LOCAL GOVT.	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.5	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.4	5.4	5.6	5.7

THE CATEGORY "OTHER DURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE STONE, CLAY, & GLASS PRODUCTS; INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT; ELECTRONIC & OTHER ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT; TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT; INSTRUMENTS & RELATED PRODUCTS; AND MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.
THE CATEGORY "OTHER NONDURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE TOBACCO PRODUCTS; CHEMICAL & ALLIED PRODUCTS; PETROLEUM & COAL PRODUCTS; RUBBER & MISCELLANEOUS PLASTIC PRODUCTS; AND LEATHER & LEATHER PRODUCTS INDUSTRIES.

VIRGINIA MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
AVERAGE EARNINGS & HOURS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

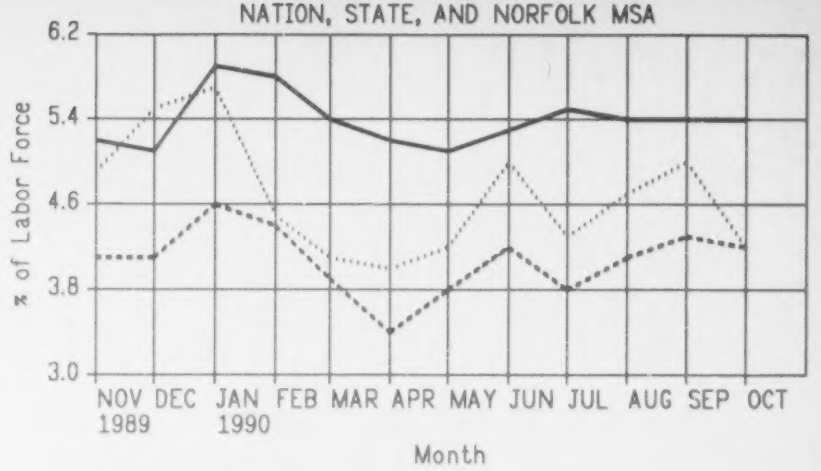
AREA: LYNCHBURG MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
MANUFACTURING	$395.75	$423.85	$401.15	$9.82	$10.02	$9.62	40.3	42.3	41.7
DURABLE GOODS	$380.03	$400.05	$386.90	$9.43	$9.71	$9.19	40.3	41.2	42.1
LUMBER,WOOD,FURNITURE	$248.79	$236.26	$247.96	$6.93	$6.99	$6.63	35.9	33.8	37.4
PRIM, FABR METAL PROD	$458.49	$495.41	$461.12	$10.28	$10.70	$10.27	44.6	46.3	44.9
NONDURABLE GOODS	$422.99	$463.93	$424.97	$10.47	$10.52	$10.34	40.4	44.1	41.1
FOOD & KINDRED PROD.	$492.16	$570.08	$472.16	$11.16	$11.20	$10.78	44.1	50.9	43.8

NORFOLK-NEWPORT NEWS MSA - OCTOBER 1990 HIGHLIGHTS

- Total nonagricultural employment declined 3,500 jobs this month to 591,300 jobs but was 100 jobs above October 1989.
- In the goods-producing industries, construction and mine employment declined 300 jobs to 36,600 jobs, while manufacturing employment remained unchanged at 67,900 jobs.
- Durable goods employment remained at 50,200 jobs. The employment gains in transportation equipment (+100) and in the other durable goods category (+100) were offset by losses in lumber, wood, and furniture (-200).
- Nondurable goods employment also remained unchanged this month. The employment gains in printing and publishing (+100) were offset by the losses in food and kindred products (-100).
- Service-producing employment decreased 3,200 jobs this month, reflecting employment losses in services (-1,600), trade (-700), finance (-700), government (-100), and transportation (-100).
- The unemployment rate for this metropolitan area was down 0.8 percent this month to 4.2 percent.

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
NATION, STATE, AND NORFOLK MSA



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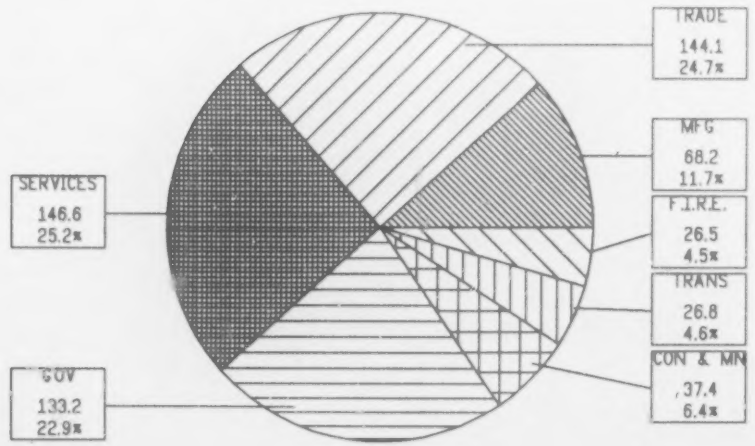

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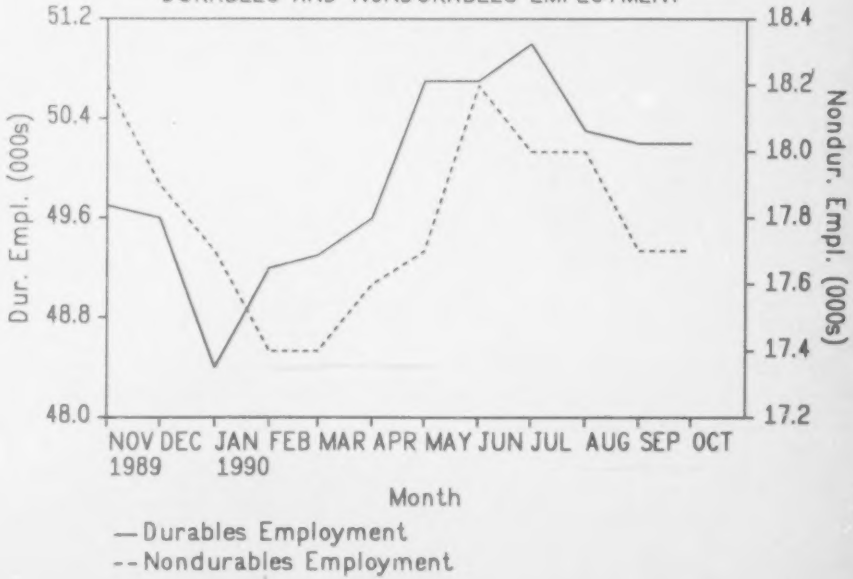


ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN VIRGINIA
(EMPLOYMENT DATA IN THOUSANDS)

AREA: NORFOLK - VIRGINIA BEACH - NEWPORT NEWS MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL	591.2	593.1	592.0	580.0	580.8	585.7	590.7	597.4	604.1	597.9	596.7	594.8	591.3
GOODS PRODUCING	106.1	106.2	104.8	102.3	103.2	103.4	104.0	105.0	106.7	106.7	106.0	104.8	104.5
CONSTRUCTION & MINING	38.3	38.3	37.3	36.2	36.6	36.7	36.8	37.4	37.8	37.7	37.7	36.9	36.6
MANUFACTURING	67.8	67.9	67.5	66.1	66.6	66.7	67.2	67.6	68.9	69.0	68.3	67.9	67.9
DURABLE GOODS	50.1	49.7	49.6	48.4	49.2	49.3	49.6	49.9	50.7	51.0	50.3	50.2	50.2
LUMBER,WOOD,FURNITURE	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.1	1.9
PRIM, FABR METAL PROD	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1
INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9
ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6
TRANSPORTATION EQUIP.	34.5	34.2	33.9	32.8	33.7	33.8	34.2	34.5	35.1	35.4	34.7	34.8	34.9
OTHER DURABLE GOODS	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.7	5.8	5.8	5.8	5.7	5.8
NONDURABLE GOODS	17.7	18.2	17.9	17.7	17.4	17.4	17.6	17.7	18.2	18.0	18.0	17.7	17.7
FOOD & KINDRED PROD.	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.4	6.1	6.2	6.4	6.6	6.9	6.8	6.9	6.8	6.7
PRINTING & PUBLISHING	4.6	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.0	4.9	5.0	4.9	5.0	4.9	5.0
CHEMICALS & ALLIED	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.6
RUBBER & MISC PLASTIC	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9
OTHER NONDURABLE GOOD	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.6	2.5	2.5
SERVICE PRODUCING	485.1	486.9	487.2	477.7	477.6	482.3	486.7	492.4	497.4	491.2	490.7	490.0	486.8
TRANSPORT & PUB UTILS	27.1	26.7	26.9	27.0	26.9	27.5	27.3	27.4	27.8	28.1	27.7	28.1	28.0
RAILROAD TRANSPORT	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
TRADE	146.3	148.4	149.0	142.8	140.3	141.6	144.3	146.1	147.5	147.1	146.8	144.1	143.4
WHOLESALE TRADE	25.0	24.9	24.8	24.6	24.4	24.4	24.3	24.3	24.2	24.4	24.3	24.1	24.3
RETAIL TRADE	121.3	123.5	124.2	118.2	115.9	117.2	120.0	121.8	123.3	122.7	122.5	120.0	119.1
GENERAL MERCHANDISE	13.9	15.3	15.6	14.0	12.7	12.9	13.0	13.1	13.6	13.5	13.4	13.4	13.6
FINANCE,INS.,REAL EST.	26.6	26.8	27.0	26.8	26.9	27.0	27.1	27.4	28.0	28.0	28.0	27.8	27.1
DEPOSITORY INSTNS	9.4	9.3	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.5	9.6	9.5	9.5	9.5	9.4	9.4	9.3
INSURANCE	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.8
SERVICES	149.5	148.6	147.4	144.5	146.4	148.9	151.0	153.0	156.0	156.2	156.8	154.5	152.9
PERSONAL SERVICES	8.0	8.1	8.2	8.0	8.6	8.6	8.7	8.1	8.1	8.1	8.2	8.2	8.3

ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN VIRGINIA
(EMPLOYMENT DATA IN THOUSANDS)

AREA: NORFOLK - VIRGINIA BEACH - NEWPORT NEWS MSA

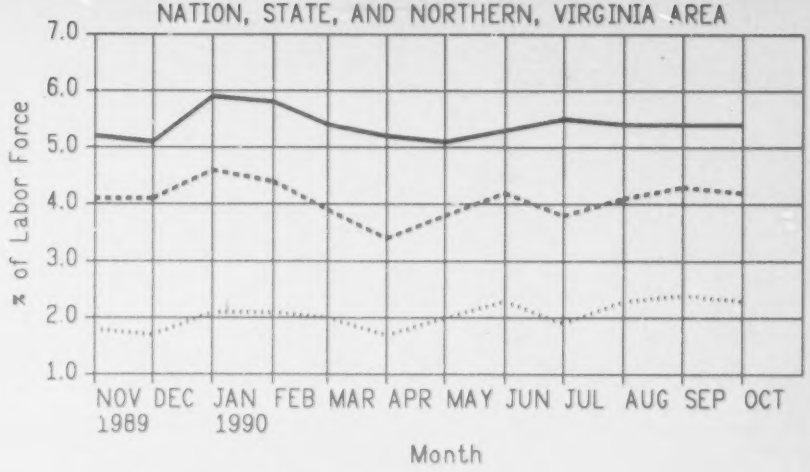
INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
TOTAL GOVERNMENT	135.6	136.4	136.9	136.6	137.1	137.3	137.0	138.5	138.1	131.8	131.4	135.5	135.4
TOTAL FEDERAL GOVT.	56.0	56.4	56.6	56.8	56.6	56.6	56.6	58.0	56.8	56.3	56.0	55.5	55.2
TOTAL STATE & LOCAL	79.6	80.0	80.3	79.8	80.5	80.7	80.4	80.5	81.3	75.5	75.4	80.0	80.2
TOTAL STATE GOVT.	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.1	19.2	19.0	16.3	16.5	18.7	18.7
TOTAL LOCAL GOVT.	60.5	60.9	61.2	60.7	61.4	61.6	61.3	61.3	62.3	59.2	58.9	61.3	61.5

THE CATEGORY "OTHER DURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE STONE, CLAY, & GLASS PRODUCTS; INSTRUMENTS & RELATED PRODUCTS; AND MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.
THE CATEGORY "OTHER NONDURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE TOBACCO PRODUCTS; TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS; APPAREL & OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS; PAPER & ALLIED PRODUCTS; PETROLEUM & COAL PRODUCTS; AND THE LEATHER & LEATHER PRODUCTS INDUSTRIES.

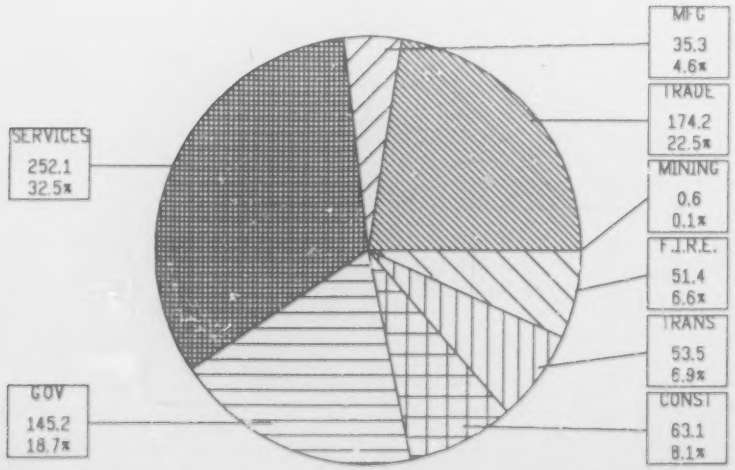
NORTHERN VIRGINIA AREA - OCTOBER 1990 HIGHLIGHTS

- Total nonagricultural employment advanced 1,900 jobs this month to 778,400 jobs but was 4,900 jobs below October 1989.
- Goods-producing employment declined 1,900 jobs this month, reflecting employment losses in construction (-1,700) and manufacturing (-200).
- Service-producing employment increased 3,800 jobs this month. Employment gains occurred in government (+2,900), trade (+1,000), and transportation (+400), while losses occurred in finance (-300) and services (-200).
- Factory production workers earned an average weekly wage of $457.48, which was down $3.74 from September but up $27.13 from last October.
- Average hourly earnings rose $.02 this month to $11.38, $.54 above October 1989.
- An average workweek of 40.2 hours was 0.4 hour shorter than September but 0.5 hour longer than October a year ago.
- The unemployment rate for this metropolitan area was down 0.1 percent this month to 2.3 percent.

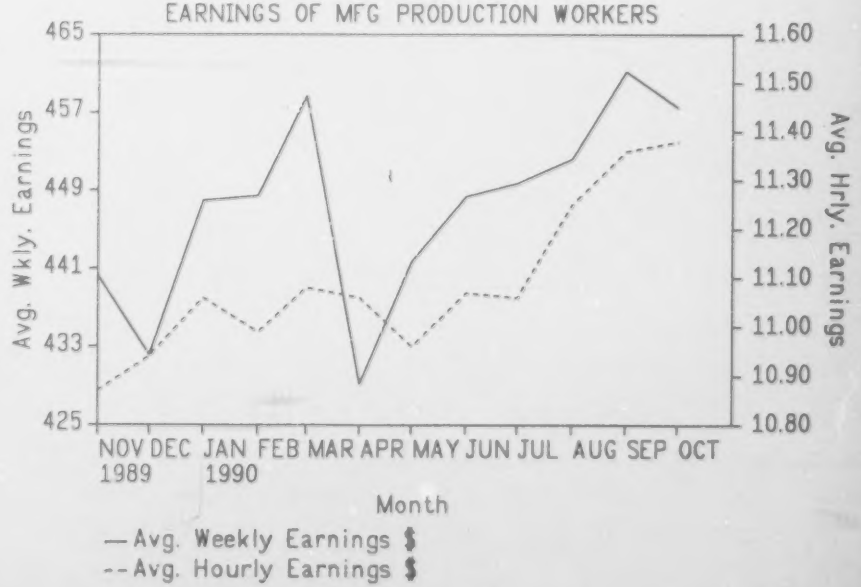
UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
NATION, STATE, AND NORTHERN, VIRGINIA AREA



EMPLOYMENT (000s) IN NORTHERN VIRGINIA AREA
1989



EARNINGS OF MFG PRODUCTION WORKERS



ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN VIRGINIA
(EMPLOYMENT DATA IN THOUSANDS)

AREA: NORTHERN VIRGINIA MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL	783.3	787.6	789.8	778.8	774.4	779.1	782.4	789.6	794.4	786.5	780.6	776.5	778.4
GOODS PRODUCING	100.4	98.8	95.8	92.4	91.2	91.4	92.3	93.0	92.7	91.7	90.6	88.6	86.7
MINING	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5
CONSTRUCTION	64.5	62.9	59.9	56.8	55.9	55.7	56.6	57.3	56.8	55.9	55.0	53.5	51.8
MANUFACTURING	35.3	35.3	35.3	35.0	34.8	35.1	35.2	35.1	35.3	35.2	35.1	34.6	34.4
DURABLE GOODS	21.5	21.4	21.3	21.0	20.9	20.9	21.0	20.9	20.8	20.5	20.5	20.4	20.3
FABRICATED METAL	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4
ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	11.6	11.7	11.7	11.6	11.6	11.6	11.5	11.5	11.5	11.4	11.4	11.4	11.4
INSTRUMENTS & RELATED	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7
OTHER DURABLE GOODS	6.4	6.3	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.0	6.0	5.9	5.8
NONDURABLE GOODS	13.8	13.9	14.0	14.0	13.9	14.2	14.2	14.2	14.5	14.7	14.6	14.2	14.1
PRINTING & PUBLISHING	10.8	10.8	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.4	11.6	11.5	11.2	11.1
OTHER NONDURABLE GOOD	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0
SERVICE PRODUCING	682.9	688.8	694.0	686.4	683.2	687.7	690.1	696.6	701.7	694.8	690.0	687.9	691.7
TRANSPORT & PUB UTILS	54.5	54.8	55.3	54.9	54.6	54.9	54.9	55.2	56.4	56.2	55.9	55.3	55.7
ELECTRIC,GAS,SANITARY	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.3
TRADE	174.5	179.2	183.1	178.1	174.7	175.2	175.4	177.8	180.6	179.9	180.0	178.3	179.3
WHOLESALE TRADE	34.7	34.6	34.4	34.5	34.2	34.0	33.8	33.8	34.1	34.2	34.4	34.3	34.1
RETAIL TRADE	139.8	144.6	148.7	143.6	140.5	141.2	141.6	144.0	146.5	145.7	145.6	144.0	145.2
GENERAL MERCHANDISE	18.0	20.0	21.2	19.7	17.9	17.7	17.4	17.7	18.6	18.3	17.8	17.7	17.8
AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS	16.9	16.9	16.6	16.4	16.6	16.8	17.1	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.4	17.2	16.9
APPAREL & ACCESSORY	11.2	11.9	12.4	11.3	10.7	10.5	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.5	10.6	10.6	11.0
FINANCE,INS.,REAL EST.	51.7	51.6	51.4	51.8	51.5	51.9	51.8	51.5	52.2	52.0	51.7	51.3	51.0
DEPOSITORY INSTNS	15.8	15.9	16.1	16.3	16.2	16.5	16.4	16.2	16.3	16.3	16.0	16.0	16.0
SERVICES	254.1	253.7	254.4	252.2	251.9	255.1	256.9	258.3	260.3	258.2	257.7	255.8	255.6

ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN VIRGINIA
(EMPLOYMENT DATA IN THOUSANDS)

AREA: NORTHERN VIRGINIA MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
TOTAL GOVERNMENT	148.1	149.5	149.8	149.4	150.5	150.6	151.1	153.8	152.2	148.5	144.7	147.2	150.1
TOTAL FEDERAL GOVT.	72.0	72.2	72.6	72.4	72.3	71.9	72.0	73.5	73.3	72.6	71.2	69.9	69.6
TOTAL STATE & LOCAL	76.1	77.3	77.2	77.0	78.2	78.7	79.1	80.3	78.9	75.9	73.5	77.3	80.5
TOTAL STATE GOVT.	10.0	10.2	10.5	9.9	10.1	10.4	10.4	10.6	9.3	9.2	8.7	9.7	10.2
TOTAL LOCAL GOVT.	66.1	67.1	66.7	67.1	68.1	68.3	68.7	69.7	69.6	66.7	64.8	67.6	70.3

THE CATEGORY "OTHER DURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS; FURNITURE & FIXTURES; STONE, CLAY & GLASS PRODUCTS; PRIMARY METAL; INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT; TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT; AND MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.
THE CATEGORY "OTHER NONDURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS; TOBACCO PRODUCTS; TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS; APPAREL & OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS; PAPER & ALLIED PRODUCTS; CHEMICAL & ALLIED PRODUCTS; PETROLEUM & COAL PRODUCTS; RUBBER & MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS; AND LEATHER & LEATHER PRODUCTS INDUSTRIES.

VIRGINIA MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
AVERAGE EARNINGS & HOURS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

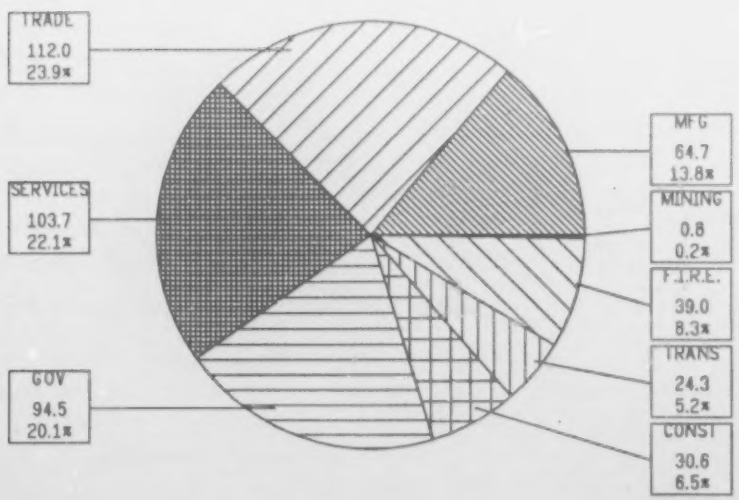
AREA: NORTHERN VIRGINIA MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
MANUFACTURING	$457.48	$461.22	$430.35	$11.38	$11.36	$10.84	40.2	40.6	39.7
DURABLE GOODS	$473.62	$471.22	$451.77	$11.25	$11.14	$10.63	42.1	42.3	42.5
FABRICATED METAL	$440.59	$459.48	$429.84	$10.96	$10.94	$10.21	40.2	42.0	42.1
ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	$445.28	$448.54	$448.79	$11.16	$10.94	$10.66	39.9	41.0	42.1
NONDURABLE GOODS	$438.90	$448.92	$400.24	$11.55	$11.63	$11.18	38.0	38.6	35.8

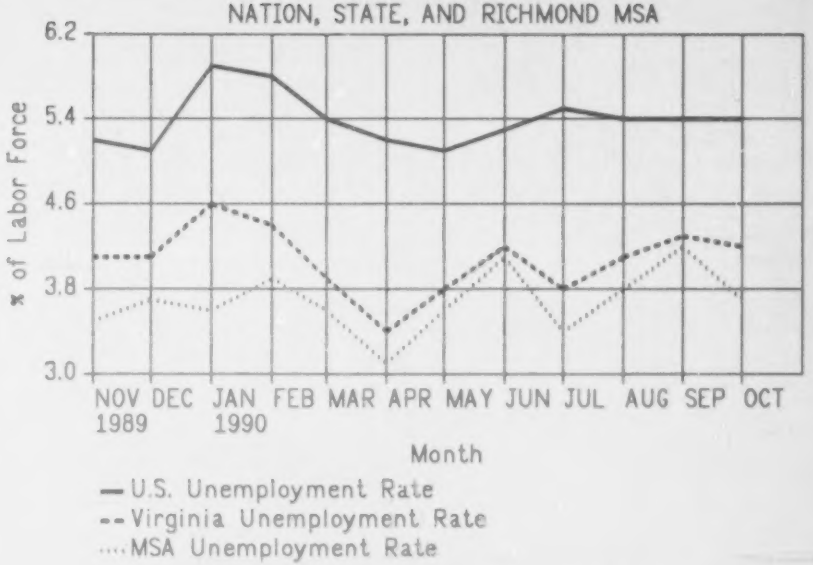
RICHMOND-PETERSBURG MSA - OCTOBER 1990 HIGHLIGHTS

- Total nonagricultural employment advanced 2,000 jobs this month to 479,100 jobs and was 2,900 jobs above October 1989.
- In the goods-producing industries, construction employment declined 100 jobs to 31,400 jobs, while mine and manufacturing remained unchanged at 800 jobs and 63,000 jobs, respectively.
- Service-producing employment increased 2,100 jobs this month. Employment gains occurred in government (+3,000), trade (+700), and transportation (+200), while losses occurred in services (-1,800).
- Factory production workers earned an average weekly wage of $607.31, which was down $2.87 from September but up $72.22 from last October.
- Average hourly earnings rose $.12 this month to $13.74, $1.03 above October 1989.
- An average workweek of 44.2 hours was 0.6 hour shorter than September but 2.1 hours longer than October a year ago.
- The unemployment rate for this metropolitan area was down 0.5 percent this month to 3.7 percent.

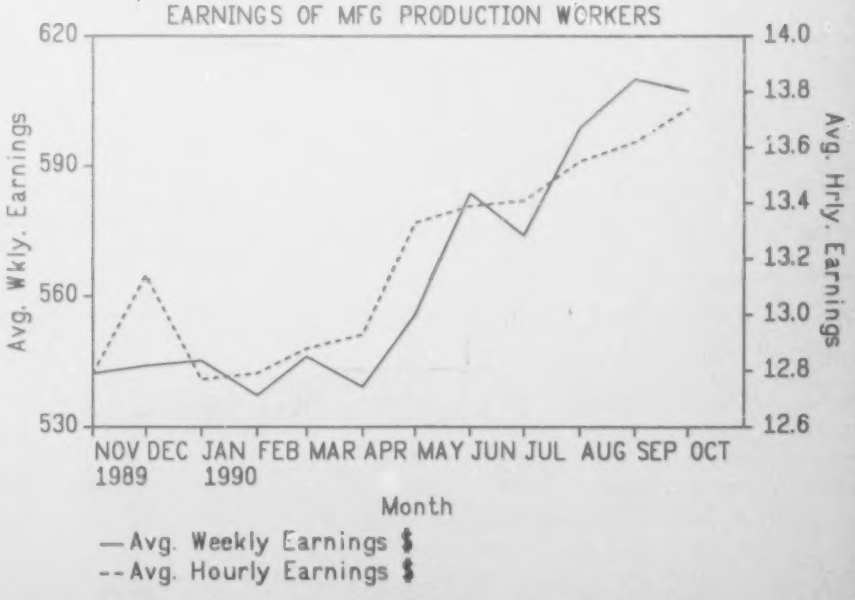
EMPLOYMENT (000s) IN RICHMOND-PETERSBURG MSA
1989



UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
NATION, STATE, AND RICHMOND MSA



EARNINGS OF MFG PRODUCTION WORKERS



ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN VIRGINIA
(EMPLOYMENT DATA IN THOUSANDS)

AREA: RICHMOND - PETERSBURG MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL	476.2	479.4	478.0	471.5	472.5	473.1	473.7	476.0	478.4	476.0	475.5	477.1	479.1
GOODS PRODUCING	96.9	96.0	94.8	94.4	94.3	94.1	93.7	94.1	95.2	95.8	95.9	95.3	95.2
MINING	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8
CONSTRUCTION	31.0	30.3	29.6	29.8	30.2	30.2	30.1	30.5	31.4	32.1	31.9	31.5	31.4
MANUFACTURING	65.1	64.9	64.4	63.8	63.3	63.1	62.8	62.8	63.0	62.9	63.2	63.0	63.0
DURABLE GOODS	20.1	20.0	19.8	19.6	19.5	19.5	19.4	19.5	19.4	19.5	19.6	19.5	19.4
LUMBER,WOOD,FURNITURE	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3
INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3
OTHER DURABLE GOODS	13.4	13.3	13.2	13.1	13.1	13.2	13.2	13.3	13.2	13.1	13.0	13.0	12.8
NONDURABLE GOODS	45.0	44.9	44.6	44.2	43.8	43.6	43.4	43.3	43.6	43.4	43.6	43.5	43.6
FOOD & KINDRED PROD.	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.3
TOBACCO PRODUCTS	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.2	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.4	12.4	12.4
PAPER & ALLIED	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4
PRINTING & PUBLISHING	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.2	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.1	7.1	7.2
CHEMICALS & ALLIED	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.1	10.7	10.7	10.6	10.7	10.8	10.7	10.6	10.5	10.5
OTHER NONDURABLE GOOD	5.2	5.1	4.9	4.8	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.9	5.0	5.0	4.9	4.8
SERVICE PRODUCING	379.3	383.4	383.2	377.1	378.2	379.0	380.0	381.9	383.2	380.2	379.6	381.8	383.9
TRANSPORT & PUB UTILS	24.4	25.2	25.2	24.5	24.5	24.4	24.2	24.4	24.3	24.3	24.4	24.2	24.4
TRADE	113.0	116.0	117.1	112.1	110.1	110.9	110.8	111.9	111.9	111.5	111.7	111.2	111.9
WHOLESALE TRADE	29.1	29.3	29.2	29.1	29.3	29.4	29.4	29.4	29.5	29.5	29.4	29.4	29.1
RETAIL TRADE	83.9	86.7	87.9	83.0	80.8	81.5	81.4	82.5	82.4	82.0	82.3	81.8	82.8
GENERAL MERCHANDISE	13.6	14.9	15.4	13.2	11.8	12.1	12.1	12.1	12.2	12.3	12.2	12.1	12.6
AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS	9.5	9.2	9.3	9.0	9.0	9.2	9.3	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.4	9.2	9.2
FINANCE,INS.,REAL EST.	39.5	39.9	40.0	39.7	39.8	39.7	39.8	40.0	40.2	40.1	40.1	39.8	39.8
DEPOSITORY INSTNS	14.1	14.3	14.3	14.3	14.2	14.3	14.2	14.3	14.4	14.3	14.3	14.1	14.1
INSURANCE	13.5	13.4	13.5	13.5	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.3	13.4	13.2	13.2	13.3
SERVICES	106.4	105.2	104.3	104.4	105.1	105.8	106.6	107.6	109.5	110.0	110.4	111.3	109.5
HEALTH SERVICES	24.7	24.6	24.5	24.5	24.5	24.6	24.8	24.9	25.1	25.3	25.5	25.9	25.9

ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN VIRGINIA
(EMPLOYMENT DATA IN THOUSANDS)

AREA: RICHMOND - PETERSBURG MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
TOTAL GOVERNMENT	96.0	97.1	96.6	96.4	98.7	98.2	98.6	98.0	97.3	94.3	93.0	95.3	98.3
TOTAL FEDERAL GOVT.	16.6	16.8	17.1	17.4	17.7	17.7	17.7	18.0	17.6	17.1	17.1	16.8	16.9
TOTAL STATE & LOCAL	79.4	80.3	79.5	79.0	81.0	80.5	80.9	80.0	79.7	77.2	75.9	78.5	81.4
TOTAL STATE GOVT.	41.9	42.3	41.4	41.0	42.6	41.8	42.2	41.0	40.6	40.5	40.2	41.2	42.2
TOTAL LOCAL GOVT.	37.5	38.0	38.1	38.0	38.4	38.7	38.7	39.0	39.1	36.7	35.7	37.3	39.2

THE CATEGORY "OTHER DURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE STONE, CLAY, & GLASS PRODUCTS; PRIMARY METAL; FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS; ELECTRONIC & OTHER ELECTRIC EQUIPMENT; TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT; INSTRUMENTS & RELATED PRODUCTS; AND MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.
THE CATEGORY "OTHER NONDURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS; APPAREL & OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS; PETROLEUM & COAL PRODUCTS; RUBBER & MISCELLANEOUS PLASTIC PRODUCTS; AND LEATHER & LEATHER PRODUCTS INDUSTRIES.

VIRGINIA MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
AVERAGE EARNINGS & HOURS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

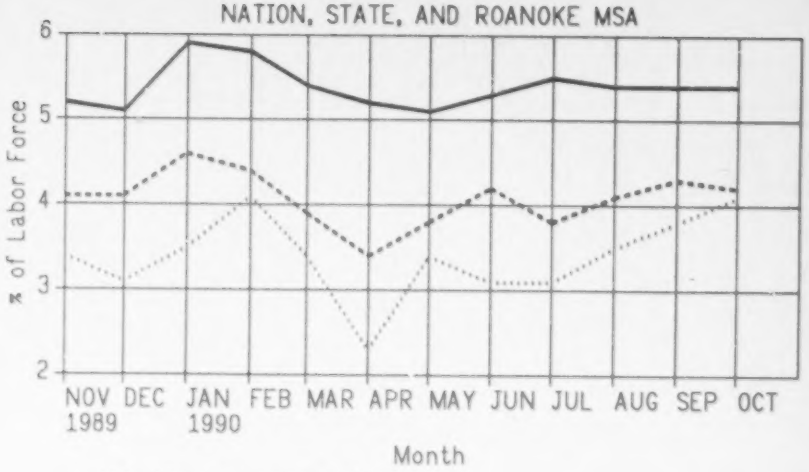
AREA: RICHMOND - PETERSBURG MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
MANUFACTURING	$607.31	$610.18	$535.09	$13.74	$13.62	$12.71	44.2	44.8	42.1
DURABLE GOODS	$446.55	$454.94	$407.57	$9.99	$9.89	$9.59	44.7	46.0	42.5
INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY	$429.11	$455.45	$430.14	$10.34	$10.47	$10.05	41.5	43.5	42.8
NONDURABLE GOODS	$675.84	$676.90	$587.86	$15.36	$15.28	$14.03	44.0	44.3	41.9
FOOD & KINDRED PROD.	$689.84	$573.60	$519.14	$13.88	$12.89	$12.39	49.7	44.5	41.9
PAPER & ALLIED	$564.64	$591.36	$519.91	$12.66	$12.94	$11.87	44.6	45.7	43.8
PRINTING & PUBLISHING	$454.20	$465.79	$477.00	$11.89	$12.29	$11.72	38.2	37.9	40.7
CHEMICALS & ALLIED	$617.58	$628.32	$594.98	$14.81	$14.96	$14.20	41.7	42.0	41.9

ROANOKE MSA - OCTOBER 1990 HIGHLIGHTS

- Total nonagricultural employment advanced 800 jobs this month to 128,900 jobs and was 3,000 jobs above October 1989.
- In the goods-producing industries, construction and mine employment declined 100 jobs to 7,700 jobs, while manufacturing employment remained at 19,800 jobs.
- Service-producing employment increased 900 jobs this month. Employment gains occurred in trade (+600), government (+300), and transportation (+100), while losses occurred in finance, real estate, and insurance (-100).
- Factory production workers earned an average weekly wage of $500.53, which was up $14.56 from September and $37.45 from last October.
- Average hourly earnings rose $.38 this month to $12.09, $.74 above October 1989.
- An average workweek of 41.4 hours was 0.1 hour shorter than September but 0.6 hour longer than October a year ago.
- Roanoke's unemployment rate was up 0.3 percent this month to 4.1 percent.

UNEMPLOYMENT RATES
NATION, STATE, AND ROANOKE MSA



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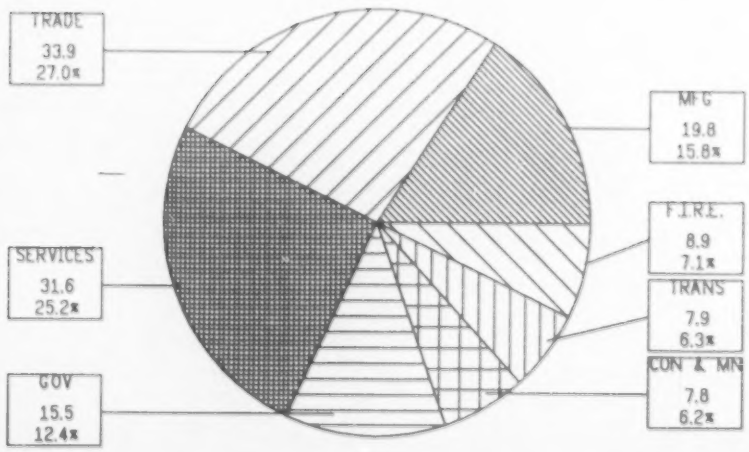
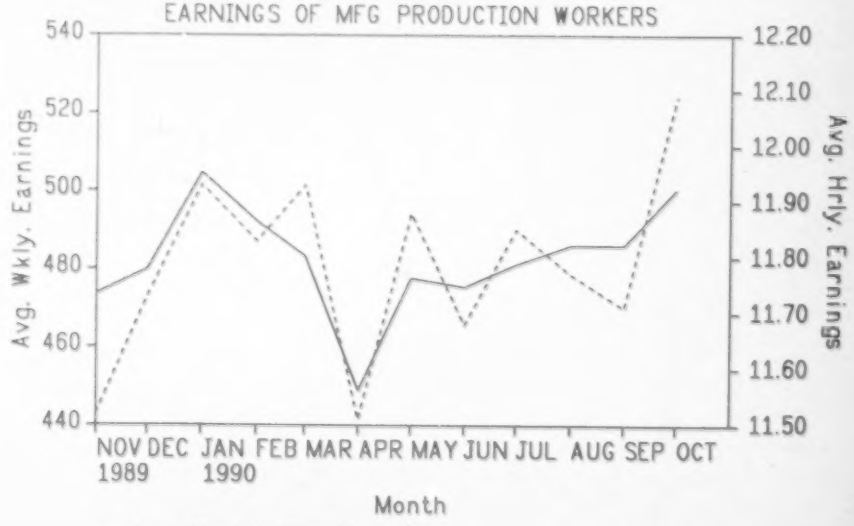


EARNINGS OF MFG PRODUCTION WORKERS



ESTIMATED EMPLOYMENT IN NONAGRICULTURAL INDUSTRIES IN VIRGINIA
(EMPLOYMENT DATA IN THOUSANDS)

AREA: ROANOKE MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	OCT89	NOV89	DEC90	JAN90	FEB90	MAR90	APR90	MAY90	JUN90	JUL90	AUG90	SEP90	OCT90
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL	125.9	127.1	126.3	125.4	125.1	126.1	126.6	127.5	127.9	127.2	127.1	128.1	128.9
GOODS PRODUCING	27.6	27.5	27.4	27.0	26.9	27.0	27.3	27.2	27.5	27.5	27.6	27.6	27.5
CONSTRUCTION & MINING	7.9	7.9	7.6	7.3	7.2	7.2	7.5	7.6	7.9	8.1	8.0	7.8	7.7
MANUFACTURING	19.7	19.6	19.8	19.7	19.7	19.8	19.8	19.6	19.6	19.4	19.6	19.8	19.8
DURABLE GOODS	12.0	12.0	12.1	12.0	12.0	12.1	12.1	12.0	11.9	11.7	11.9	12.0	11.8
FURNITURE & FIXTURES	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.2
FABRICATED METAL	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.6
INDUSTRIAL MACHINERY	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8
OTHER DURABLE GOODS	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.4	7.3	7.3	7.3	7.2
NONDURABLE GOODS	7.7	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.8	8.0
TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3
PRINTING & PUBLISHING	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2
OTHER NONDURABLE GOOD	5.3	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.5
SERVICE PRODUCING	98.3	99.6	98.9	98.4	98.2	99.1	99.3	100.3	100.4	99.7	99.5	100.5	101.4
TRANSPORT & PUB UTILS	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.9	7.9	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.9
COMMUNICATIONS & UTIL	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.6	2.6	2.6
TRADE	33.9	34.6	34.8	33.9	33.2	33.7	33.9	34.2	34.0	34.6	34.7	34.8	35.4
WHOLESALE TRADE	8.9	8.8	9.0	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	9.1	9.1	9.2	9.2	9.1	9.1
RETAIL TRADE	25.0	25.8	25.8	25.0	24.3	24.7	24.9	25.1	24.9	25.4	25.5	25.7	26.3
GENERAL MERCHANDISE	4.6	5.2	5.0	4.6	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.1	4.5	4.9	5.2	5.5
FINANCE,INS.,REAL EST.	8.8	8.9	8.9	8.8	8.9	8.9	9.0	9.0	8.9	9.0	8.9	8.9	8.8
SERVICES	32.2	32.1	31.7	32.1	32.4	32.6	32.6	32.9	33.1	33.1	33.1	33.2	33.2
TOTAL GOVERNMENT	15.6	16.2	15.7	15.8	15.9	16.1	16.0	16.3	16.5	15.1	15.0	15.8	16.1
TOTAL FEDERAL GOVT.	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.4
TOTAL STATE & LOCAL	12.3	12.8	12.3	12.4	12.5	12.6	12.5	12.6	12.9	11.6	11.6	12.4	12.7
TOTAL STATE GOVT.	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.7	2.7
TOTAL LOCAL GOVT.	9.7	10.2	9.7	9.8	9.9	10.0	9.9	10.0	10.3	9.0	9.0	9.7	10.0

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THE CATEGORY "OTHER NONDURABLE GOODS" INCLUDES THE FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS; TOBACCO PRODUCTS; APPAREL & OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS; PAPER & ALLIED PRODUCTS; CHEMICAL & ALLIED PRODUCTS; PETROLEUM & COAL PRODUCTS; RUBBER & MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS; AND LEATHER & LEATHER PRODUCTS INDUSTRIES.

VIRGINIA MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES
AVERAGE EARNINGS & HOURS OF PRODUCTION WORKERS

AREA: ROANOKE MSA

INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
MANUFACTURING	$500.53	$485.96	$463.08	$12.09	$11.71	$11.35	41.4	41.5	40.8
DURABLE GOODS	$475.49	$475.59	$459.26	$11.43	$11.27	$11.04	41.6	42.2	41.6
FABRICATED METAL	$374.39	$366.67	$371.07	$9.29	$9.33	$8.92	40.3	39.3	41.6
NONDURABLE GOODS	$539.38	$499.72	$468.47	$13.06	$12.40	$11.83	41.3	40.3	39.6
TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	$311.85	$334.51	$321.72	$8.10	$8.08	$8.40	38.5	41.4	38.3

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX

ALL URBAN CONSUMERS
U. S. CITY AVERAGE
ALL ITEMS -- (1982-84 = 100)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Percent Change From 12 Months Ago 1/
1980	77.8	78.9	80.1	81.0	81.8	82.7	82.7	83.3	84.0	84.8	85.5	86.3	--
1981	87.0	87.9	88.5	89.1	89.8	90.6	91.6	92.3	93.2	93.4	93.7	94.0	8.9%
1982	94.3	94.6	94.5	94.9	95.8	97.0	97.5	97.7	97.9	98.2	98.0	97.6	3.8
1983	97.8	97.9	97.9	98.6	99.2	99.5	99.9	100.2	100.7	101.0	101.2	101.3	3.8
1984	101.9	102.4	102.6	103.1	103.4	103.7	104.1	104.5	105.0	105.3	105.3	105.3	3.9
1985	105.5	106.0	106.4	106.9	107.3	107.6	107.8	108.0	108.3	108.7	109.0	109.3	3.8
1986	109.6	109.3	108.8	108.6	108.9	109.5	109.5	109.7	110.2	110.3	110.4	110.5	1.1
1987	111.2	111.6	112.1	112.7	113.1	113.5	113.8	114.4	115.0	115.3	115.4	115.4	4.4
1988	115.7	116.0	116.5	117.1	117.5	118.0	118.5	119.0	119.8	120.2	120.3	120.5	4.4
1989	121.1	121.6	122.3	123.1	123.8	124.1	124.4	124.6	125.0	125.6	125.9	126.1	4.6
1990	127.4	128.0	128.7	128.9	129.2	129.9	130.4	131.6	132.7	133.5			6.3

URBAN WAGE EARNERS AND CLERICAL WORKERS
U. S. CITY AVERAGE
ALL ITEMS -- (1982-84 = 100)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	Jun.	Jul.	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Percent Change From 12 Months Ago 1/
1980	78.3	79.4	80.5	81.4	82.3	83.2	83.3	83.8	84.6	85.3	86.1	86.9	--
1981	87.5	88.5	89.0	89.6	90.3	91.1	92.2	92.8	93.7	93.0	94.1	94.4	8.6%
1982	94.7	95.0	94.8	95.2	96.2	97.4	98.0	98.2	98.3	98.6	98.4	98.0	3.8
1983	98.1	98.1	98.4	99.0	99.5	99.8	100.1	100.5	101.0	101.2	101.2	101.2	3.3
1984	101.6	101.8	101.8	102.1	102.5	102.8	103.2	104.2	104.8	104.8	104.7	104.8	3.6
1985	104.9	105.4	105.9	106.3	106.7	107.0	107.1	107.3	107.6	107.9	108.3	108.6	3.6
1986	108.9	108.5	107.9	107.6	107.9	108.4	108.4	108.6	109.1	109.1	109.2	109.3	0.6
1987	110.0	110.5	111.0	111.6	111.9	112.4	112.7	113.3	113.8	114.1	114.3	114.2	4.5
1988	114.5	114.7	115.1	115.7	116.2	116.7	117.2	117.7	118.5	118.9	119.0	119.2	4.4
1989	119.7	120.2	120.8	121.8	122.5	122.8	123.2	123.2	123.6	124.2	124.4	124.6	4.5
1990	125.9	126.4	127.1	127.3	127.5	128.3	128.7	129.9	131.1	131.9			6.2

1/ Annual Percent Change in the CPI represents a December to December Annual Change.

Beginning with the release of data for January 1988, on February 26, the standard reference base period for the Consumer Price Indexes (CPIs) is 1982-84. The rebasing by the Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS), U. S. Department of Labor, after review by the Office of Federal Statistical Policy and Standards, Office of Management and Budget, is in keeping with the Government's long-standing policy that index bases should be updated periodically. BLS chose the 1982-84 period to coincide with the time period of the updated CPIs expenditure weights, which are based upon the Consumer Expenditure Surveys for 1982, 1983, and 1984.

ESTIMATED LABOR FORCE COMPONENTS FOR STATE, MSAS, LMAS, CITIES, SINGLE COUNTIES

	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE			EMPLOYMENT			UNEMPLOYMENT			PERCENT OF LABOR FORCE		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
UNITED STATES	125,020,000	124,779,000	124,416,000	118,299,000	117,961,000	118,194,000	6,722,000	6,818,000	6,222,000	5.4	5.4	5.0
VIRGINIA	3,238,836	3,216,053	3,143,828	3,103,943	3,076,517	3,012,001	134,893	139,536	131,827	4.2	4.3	4.2
VA PORTION OF JOHNSON CITY MSA	44,873	44,645	43,051	42,314	41,802	40,424	2,559	2,843	2,627	5.7	6.4	6.1
CHARLOTTESVILLE MSA	76,503	75,135	73,837	74,213	72,912	72,130	2,290	2,223	1,707	3.0	3.0	2.3
DANVILLE MSA	53,959	52,516	52,883	49,351	49,000	49,623	4,608	3,516	3,260	8.5	6.7	6.2
LYNCHBURG MSA	75,848	74,961	74,363	72,265	71,291	69,936	3,583	3,670	4,427	4.7	4.9	6.0
NORFOLK-VIRGINIA BEACH-NEWPORT NEWS MSA	631,657	635,027	620,754	604,963	603,171	589,550	26,694	31,856	31,204	4.2	5.0	5.0
VIRGINIA PORTION OF WASHINGTON DC MSA	927,301	918,143	895,511	906,169	895,656	876,527	21,132	22,487	18,984	2.3	2.4	2.1
RICHMOND-PETERSBURG MSA	467,356	464,445	454,812	450,205	444,771	436,207	17,151	19,674	18,605	3.7	4.2	4.1
ROANOKE MSA	127,009	124,359	121,267	121,756	119,667	115,589	5,253	4,692	5,678	4.1	3.8	4.7
ACCOMACK-NORTHAMPTON LMA	19,966	19,892	19,610	19,000	18,838	18,386	966	1,054	1,224	4.8	5.3	6.2
BATH-HIGHLAND LMA	2,707	2,710	2,669	2,537	2,533	2,514	170	177	155	6.3	6.5	5.8
BEDFORD LMA	25,262	24,521	24,613	23,769	23,487	23,162	1,493	1,034	1,451	5.9	4.2	5.9
BUENA VISTA LMA	14,657	14,470	14,183	14,042	13,913	13,652	615	557	531	4.2	3.8	3.7
COVINGTON LMA	11,104	11,006	11,145	10,371	10,223	10,254	733	783	891	6.6	7.1	8.0
CUMBERLAND-PRINCE EDWARD LMA	10,983	10,890	10,764	10,092	10,035	9,933	891	855	831	8.1	7.9	7.7
EMPORIA LMA	7,344	7,459	7,441	6,991	6,918	6,936	353	541	505	4.8	7.3	6.8
ESSEX-RICHMOND LMA	8,819	8,780	8,332	8,376	8,362	7,987	443	418	345	5.0	4.8	4.1

ESTIMATED LABOR FORCE COMPONENTS FOR STATE, MSAS, LMAS, CITIES, SINGLE COUNTIES

	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE			EMPLOYMENT			UNEMPLOYMENT			PERCENT OF LABOR FORCE		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
FRANKLIN-ISLE-SOUTHAMPTON LMA	21,246	21,222	20,780	20,325	20,249	19,720	921	973	1,060	4.3	4.6	5.1
FREDERICKSBURG LMA	36,859	36,450	34,717	34,635	34,378	33,039	2,224	2,072	1,678	6.0	5.7	4.8
GALAX LMA	24,637	24,508	23,889	22,889	22,587	22,476	1,748	1,921	1,413	7.1	7.8	5.9
HARRISONBURG LMA	53,938	53,080	51,981	51,514	50,565	49,948	2,424	2,515	2,033	4.5	4.7	3.9
KING & QUEEN-KING WILLIAM LMA	8,460	8,340	8,141	7,970	7,929	7,740	490	411	401	5.8	4.9	4.9
LANCASTER-NORTHUMBERLAND LMA	9,504	9,344	9,141	9,073	9,035	8,779	431	309	362	4.5	3.3	4.0
MARTINSVILLE LMA	56,489	54,805	52,158	50,129	51,560	49,190	6,360	3,245	2,968	11.3	5.9	5.7
NORTON-WISE LMA	25,413	25,325	25,299	23,869	23,488	22,971	1,544	1,837	2,328	6.1	7.3	9.2
RADFORD LMA	74,494	73,595	72,395	69,220	68,530	67,333	5,274	5,065	5,062	7.1	6.9	7.0
SOUTH BOSTON LMA	18,064	17,783	17,748	16,267	16,290	16,345	1,797	1,493	1,403	9.9	8.4	7.9
STAUNTON-WAYNESBORO LMA	46,446	46,191	45,769	44,030	43,996	44,071	2,416	2,195	1,698	5.2	4.8	3.7
WINCHESTER LMA	36,280	36,194	34,108	34,865	34,413	32,816	1,415	1,781	1,292	3.9	4.9	3.8
ALEXANDRIA CITY	81,953	81,223	78,987	79,507	78,585	76,906	2,446	2,638	2,081	3.0	3.2	2.6
BEDFORD CITY	2,880	2,789	2,842	2,758	2,725	2,688	122	64	154	4.2	2.3	5.4
BRISTOL CITY	9,433	9,441	9,099	8,917	8,809	8,519	516	632	580	5.5	6.7	6.4
BUENA VISTA CITY	3,187	3,197	3,076	2,983	2,956	2,900	204	241	176	6.4	7.5	5.7
CHARLOTTESVILLE CITY	26,201	25,810	25,351	25,526	25,078	24,809	675	732	542	2.6	2.8	2.1
CHESAPEAKE CITY	75,533	75,839	73,984	72,668	72,453	70,817	2,865	3,386	3,167	3.8	4.5	4.3
CLIFTON FORGE CITY	1,925	1,931	1,902	1,815	1,789	1,795	110	142	107	5.7	7.4	5.6

ESTIMATED LABOR FORCE COMPONENTS FOR STATE, MSAS, LMAS, CITIES, SINGLE COUNTIES

	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE			EMPLOYMENT			UNEMPLOYMENT			PERCENT OF LABOR FORCE		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
COLONIAL HEIGHTS CITY	10,095	10,031	9,789	9,756	9,638	9,453	339	393	336	3.4	3.9	3.4
COVINGTON CITY	3,360	3,348	3,424	3,122	3,077	3,086	238	271	338	7.1	8.1	9.9
DANVILLE CITY	25,646	25,801	25,889	24,257	24,084	24,391	1,389	1,717	1,498	5.4	6.7	5.8
EMPORIA CITY	2,871	2,926	2,953	2,740	2,711	2,718	131	215	235	4.6	7.3	8.0
FAIRFAX CITY	14,945	14,794	14,564	14,716	14,545	14,235	229	249	329	1.5	1.7	2.3
FALLS CHURCH CITY	6,813	6,733	6,616	6,697	6,619	6,478	116	114	138	1.7	1.7	2.1
FRANKLIN CITY	3,181	3,152	3,119	3,033	3,022	2,943	148	130	176	4.7	4.1	5.6
FREDERICKSBURG CITY	13,523	13,477	12,925	12,945	12,849	12,348	578	628	577	4.3	4.7	4.5
GALAX CITY	3,272	3,236	3,111	3,016	2,976	2,961	256	260	150	7.8	8.0	4.8
HAMPTON CITY	61,422	61,790	60,715	58,427	58,254	56,939	2,995	3,536	3,776	4.9	5.7	6.2
HARRISONBURG CITY	16,747	16,487	16,278	16,075	15,779	15,587	672	708	691	4.0	4.3	4.2
HOPEWELL CITY	12,045	12,042	11,708	11,300	11,164	10,949	745	878	759	6.2	7.3	6.5
LEXINGTON CITY	2,477	2,459	2,462	2,449	2,427	2,361	28	32	81	1.1	1.3	3.3
LYNCHBURG CITY	37,016	36,282	36,106	35,348	34,871	34,208	1,668	1,411	1,898	4.5	3.9	5.3
MANASSAS CITY	14,734	14,543	14,112	14,336	14,169	13,867	398	374	245	2.7	2.6	1.7
MANASSAS PARK CITY	4,370	4,321	4,215	4,295	4,245	4,155	75	76	60	1.7	1.8	1.4
MARTINSVILLE CITY	9,742	9,144	8,679	8,213	8,448	8,059	1,529	696	620	15.7	7.6	7.1
NEWPORT NEWS CITY	77,896	78,414	76,377	73,993	73,774	72,108	3,903	4,640	4,269	5.0	5.9	5.6
NORFOLK CITY	98,593	99,418	97,804	94,622	94,342	92,212	3,971	5,076	5,592	4.0	5.1	5.7
NORTON CITY	1,671	1,627	1,648	1,567	1,542	1,508	104	85	140	6.2	5.2	8.5

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	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
PETERSBURG CITY	21,011	20,857	20,447	19,651	19,414	19,040	1,360	1,443	1,407	6.5	6.9	6.9
POQUOSON CITY	5,814	5,840	5,703	5,644	5,628	5,501	170	212	202	2.9	3.6	3.5
PORTSMOUTH CITY	51,645	52,080	50,757	48,385	48,242	47,152	3,260	3,838	3,605	6.3	7.4	7.1
RADFORD CITY	6,790	6,775	6,634	6,364	6,301	6,191	426	474	443	6.3	7.0	6.7
RICHMOND CITY	115,546	115,261	112,934	109,873	108,546	106,456	5,673	6,715	6,478	4.9	5.8	5.7
ROANOKE CITY	54,687	53,428	52,414	51,972	51,080	49,339	2,715	2,348	3,075	5.0	4.4	5.9
SALEM CITY	13,980	13,690	13,422	13,550	13,318	12,864	430	372	558	3.1	2.7	4.2
SOUTH BOSTON CITY	3,519	3,421	3,469	3,185	3,190	3,201	334	231	268	9.5	6.8	7.7
STAUNTON CITY	13,762	13,596	13,478	13,090	13,080	13,102	672	516	376	4.9	3.8	2.8
SUFFOLK CITY	26,875	27,147	26,743	25,663	25,587	25,009	1,212	1,560	1,734	4.5	5.7	6.5
VIRGINIA BEACH CITY	173,373	173,949	169,655	166,813	166,318	162,563	6,560	7,631	7,092	3.8	4.4	4.2
WAYNESBORO CITY	11,647	11,833	11,841	11,366	11,357	11,376	281	476	465	2.4	4.0	3.9
WILLIAMSBURG CITY	7,128	7,181	6,933	6,776	6,756	6,603	352	425	330	4.9	5.9	4.8
WINCHESTER CITY	13,041	13,109	12,310	12,508	12,346	11,773	533	763	537	4.1	5.8	4.4
ACCOMACK COUNTY	14,218	14,158	13,875	13,502	13,387	13,066	716	771	809	5.0	5.4	5.8
ALBEMARLE COUNTY	37,614	36,977	36,332	36,577	35,936	35,551	1,037	1,041	781	2.8	2.8	2.1
ALLEGHANY COUNTY	5,819	5,727	5,819	5,434	5,357	5,373	385	370	446	6.6	6.5	7.7
AMELIA COUNTY	3,739	3,855	3,823	3,586	3,602	3,690	153	253	133	4.1	6.6	3.5
AMHERST COUNTY	13,359	13,304	13,278	12,752	12,580	12,341	607	724	937	4.5	5.4	7.1
APPOMATTOX COUNTY	6,399	6,267	6,298	6,119	6,053	6,015	280	214	283	4.4	3.4	4.5
ARLINGTON COUNTY	110,496	109,450	106,794	107,870	106,619	104,342	2,626	2,831	2,452	2.4	2.6	2.3

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	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
AUGUSTA COUNTY	21,036	20,764	20,450	19,574	19,559	19,592	1,462	1,205	858	6.9	5.8	4.2
BATH COUNTY	1,863	1,888	1,841	1,764	1,762	1,748	99	126	93	5.3	6.7	5.1
BEDFORD COUNTY	22,381	21,731	21,771	21,011	20,762	20,474	1,370	969	1,297	6.1	4.5	6.0
BLAND COUNTY	5,234	5,008	3,988	4,762	4,799	3,831	472	209	157	9.0	4.2	3.9
BOTETOURT COUNTY	14,187	13,910	13,486	13,631	13,397	12,940	556	513	546	3.9	3.7	4.0
BRUNSWICK COUNTY	7,803	8,022	7,693	7,153	7,209	7,169	650	813	524	8.3	10.1	6.8
BUCHANAN COUNTY	11,630	11,428	10,834	10,676	10,401	9,924	954	1,027	910	8.2	9.0	8.4
BUCKINGHAM COUNTY	5,570	5,510	5,252	5,288	5,203	4,984	282	307	268	5.1	5.6	5.1
CAMPBELL COUNTY	25,473	25,374	24,981	24,165	23,840	23,387	1,308	1,534	1,594	5.1	6.0	6.4
CAROLINE COUNTY	8,877	8,929	9,196	8,199	8,286	8,657	678	643	539	7.6	7.2	5.9
CARROLL COUNTY	13,431	13,164	13,021	12,558	12,392	12,331	873	772	690	6.5	5.9	5.3
CHARLES CITY COUNTY	3,763	3,769	3,671	3,629	3,585	3,516	134	184	155	3.6	4.9	4.2
CHARLOTTE COUNTY	5,335	5,472	5,702	4,786	4,877	5,043	549	595	659	10.3	10.9	11.6
CHESTERFIELD COUNTY	107,111	106,309	104,012	103,943	102,689	100,711	3,168	3,620	3,301	3.0	3.4	3.2
CLARKE COUNTY	4,799	4,796	4,551	4,636	4,610	4,418	163	186	133	3.4	3.9	2.9
CRAIG COUNTY	2,170	2,164	2,128	2,054	2,097	1,928	116	67	200	5.3	3.1	9.4
CULPEPER COUNTY	12,809	12,774	12,056	12,164	12,124	11,636	645	650	420	5.0	5.1	3.5
CUMBERLAND COUNTY	3,422	3,419	3,418	3,250	3,231	3,198	172	188	220	5.0	5.5	6.4
DICKENSON COUNTY	4,522	4,552	4,806	3,964	3,937	4,258	558	615	548	12.3	13.5	11.4
DINWIDDIE COUNTY	9,132	9,103	9,053	8,621	8,517	8,353	511	586	700	5.6	6.4	7.7
ESSEX COUNTY	4,939	4,931	4,673	4,712	4,705	4,494	227	226	179	4.6	4.6	3.8

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	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
FAIRFAX COUNTY	500,528	495,971	483,901	490,201	484,514	474,166	10,327	11,457	9,735	2.1	2.3	2.0
FAUQUIER COUNTY	25,903	25,737	25,217	24,825	24,778	24,642	1,078	959	575	4.2	3.7	2.3
FLOYD COUNTY	6,459	5,960	5,813	5,700	5,643	5,545	759	317	268	11.8	5.3	4.6
FLUVANNA COUNTY	6,853	6,754	6,744	6,666	6,549	6,479	187	205	265	2.7	3.0	3.9
FRANKLIN COUNTY	21,175	20,482	20,066	19,766	19,497	19,204	1,409	985	862	6.7	4.8	4.3
FREDERICK COUNTY	23,238	23,085	21,799	22,357	22,067	21,043	881	1,018	756	3.8	4.4	3.5
GILES COUNTY	8,628	8,577	8,579	7,955	7,876	7,739	673	701	840	7.8	8.2	9.8
GLOUCESTER COUNTY	15,836	15,834	15,437	15,414	15,369	15,022	422	465	415	2.7	2.9	2.7
GOOCHLAND COUNTY	6,802	6,709	6,603	6,586	6,507	6,382	216	202	221	3.2	3.0	3.3
GRAYSON COUNTY	7,935	8,107	7,757	7,316	7,219	7,184	619	888	573	7.8	11.0	7.4
GREENE COUNTY	5,836	5,594	5,410	5,444	5,349	5,291	392	245	119	6.7	4.4	2.2
GREENSVILLE COUNTY	4,473	4,533	4,488	4,251	4,207	4,218	222	326	270	5.0	7.2	6.0
HALIFAX COUNTY	14,546	14,363	14,279	13,082	13,100	13,144	1,464	1,263	1,135	10.1	8.8	7.9
HANOVER COUNTY	34,997	34,704	33,965	34,180	33,767	33,117	817	937	848	2.3	2.7	2.5
HENRICO COUNTY	127,962	126,809	124,269	124,491	122,988	120,620	3,471	3,821	3,649	2.7	3.0	2.9
HENRY COUNTY	37,066	35,987	34,293	32,952	33,893	32,335	4,114	2,094	1,958	11.1	5.8	5.7
HIGHLAND COUNTY	844	822	828	773	771	766	71	51	62	8.4	6.2	7.5
ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY	11,620	11,586	11,372	11,101	11,059	10,770	519	527	602	4.5	4.5	5.3
JAMES CITY COUNTY	17,628	17,627	17,212	17,199	17,148	16,761	429	479	451	2.4	2.7	2.6
KING AND QUEEN COUNTY	2,968	2,927	2,890	2,763	2,749	2,683	205	178	207	6.9	6.1	7.2

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	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
KING GEORGE COUNTY	7,242	7,253	6,929	6,940	6,923	6,656	302	330	273	4.2	4.5	3.9
KING WILLIAM COUNTY	5,492	5,414	5,252	5,207	5,180	5,057	285	234	195	5.2	4.3	3.7
LANCASTER COUNTY	5,068	5,028	4,952	4,829	4,809	4,672	239	219	280	4.7	4.4	5.7
LEE COUNTY	8,301	8,338	8,303	7,774	7,650	7,481	527	688	822	6.3	8.3	9.9
LOUDOUN COUNTY	49,417	48,808	47,715	48,480	47,918	46,891	937	890	821	1.9	1.8	1.7
LOUISA COUNTY	10,995	10,760	11,229	10,580	10,354	10,852	415	406	377	3.8	3.8	3.4
LUNENBURG COUNTY	5,107	5,176	5,012	4,641	4,737	4,606	466	439	406	9.1	8.5	8.1
MADISON COUNTY	5,919	5,960	5,645	5,727	5,735	5,512	192	225	133	3.2	3.8	2.4
MATHEWS COUNTY	3,841	3,780	3,772	3,757	3,724	3,721	84	56	51	2.2	1.5	1.4
MECKLENBURG COUNTY	15,070	15,222	14,627	14,280	14,319	13,948	790	903	679	5.2	5.9	4.6
MIDDLESEX COUNTY	3,437	3,314	3,202	3,241	3,193	3,067	196	121	135	5.7	3.7	4.2
MONTGOMERY COUNTY	33,345	33,140	32,770	31,550	31,235	30,690	1,795	1,905	2,080	5.4	5.7	6.3
NELSON COUNTY	5,362	5,254	5,848	5,115	5,005	5,481	247	249	367	4.6	4.7	6.3
NEW KENT COUNTY	6,058	6,037	5,915	5,961	5,889	5,775	97	148	140	1.6	2.5	2.4
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY	5,748	5,735	5,736	5,498	5,451	5,320	250	284	416	4.3	5.0	7.3
NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY	4,437	4,316	4,190	4,244	4,226	4,107	193	90	83	4.3	2.1	2.0
NOTTOWAY COUNTY	6,680	6,679	6,576	6,271	6,219	6,264	409	460	312	6.1	6.9	4.7
ORANGE COUNTY	9,887	9,853	9,424	9,319	9,261	8,977	568	592	447	5.7	6.0	4.7
PAGE COUNTY	10,251	10,062	9,938	9,360	9,244	9,177	891	818	761	8.7	8.1	7.7
PATRICK COUNTY	9,681	9,673	9,186	8,964	9,219	8,796	717	454	390	7.4	4.7	4.2

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	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEPSO	OCT89
PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY	28,313	26,715	26,995	25,094	24,916	25,232	3,219	1,799	1,763	11.4	6.7	6.5
POWHATAN COUNTY	5,952	5,928	5,704	5,709	5,640	5,531	243	288	173	4.1	4.9	3.0
PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY	7,560	7,471	7,346	6,842	6,804	6,735	718	667	611	9.5	8.9	8.3
PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY	6,878	6,883	6,743	6,505	6,427	6,303	373	456	440	5.4	6.6	6.5
PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY	111,762	110,493	107,783	108,922	107,658	105,359	2,840	2,835	2,424	2.5	2.6	2.2
PULASKI COUNTY	19,270	19,142	18,600	17,650	17,474	17,169	1,620	1,668	1,431	8.4	8.7	7.7
RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY	2,945	2,924	2,751	2,767	2,722	2,575	178	202	176	6.0	6.9	6.4
RICHMOND COUNTY	3,880	3,849	3,659	3,664	3,657	3,493	216	192	166	5.6	5.0	4.5
ROANOKE COUNTY	44,155	43,333	41,944	42,604	41,873	40,446	1,551	1,460	1,498	3.5	3.4	3.6
ROCKBRIDGE COUNTY	8,992	8,816	8,646	8,610	8,531	8,371	382	285	275	4.2	3.2	3.2
ROCKINGHAM COUNTY	37,192	36,594	35,703	35,439	34,786	34,361	1,753	1,808	1,342	4.7	4.9	3.8
RUSSELL COUNTY	11,777	11,926	11,996	10,844	10,851	10,960	933	1,075	1,036	7.9	9.0	8.6
SCOTT COUNTY	10,487	10,252	10,263	10,019	9,898	9,572	468	354	691	4.5	3.5	6.7
SHENANDOAH COUNTY	17,495	17,453	16,961	16,993	16,635	16,454	502	818	507	2.9	4.7	3.0
SMYTH COUNTY	17,498	17,393	16,802	16,536	16,306	15,297	962	1,087	1,505	5.5	6.2	9.0
SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY	6,445	6,484	6,289	6,191	6,168	6,007	254	316	282	3.9	4.9	4.5
SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY	23,337	22,972	21,793	21,690	21,529	20,691	1,647	1,443	1,102	7.1	6.3	5.1
STAFFORD COUNTY	32,283	31,809	30,825	31,145	30,784	30,126	1,138	1,025	699	3.5	3.2	2.3
SURRY COUNTY	2,827	2,852	2,746	2,694	2,715	2,591	133	137	155	4.7	4.8	5.6
SUSSEX COUNTY	5,390	5,325	5,283	5,071	5,025	4,962	319	300	321	5.9	5.6	6.1

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	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
TAZEWELL COUNTY	20,399	20,226	19,029	19,100	18,888	17,652	1,299	1,338	1,377	6.4	6.6	7.2
WARREN COUNTY	11,092	11,157	11,680	10,485	10,416	10,992	607	741	688	5.5	6.6	5.9
WASHINGTON COUNTY	24,954	24,952	23,690	23,378	23,095	22,333	1,576	1,857	1,357	6.3	7.4	5.7
WESTMORELAND COUNTY	6,041	6,020	5,964	5,657	5,565	5,573	384	455	391	6.4	7.6	6.6
WISE COUNTY	15,442	15,362	15,347	14,529	14,297	13,982	913	1,065	1,365	5.9	6.9	8.9
WYTHE COUNTY	16,432	16,676	15,447	15,384	15,610	14,049	1,048	1,066	1,398	6.4	6.4	9.1
YORK COUNTY	19,913	19,909	19,439	19,359	19,301	18,866	554	608	573	2.8	3.1	2.9

ESTIMATED LABOR FORCE COMPONENTS FOR SERVICE DELIVERY AREAS UNDER JTPA

	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE			EMPLOYMENT			UNEMPLOYMENT			PERCENT OF LABOR FORCE		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
ONE	84,229	83,711	82,226	78,473	77,464	75,337	5,756	6,247	6,889	6.8	7.5	8.4
TWO	172,681	171,571	165,311	161,086	159,735	153,839	11,595	11,836	11,472	6.7	6.9	6.9
THREE	140,283	137,531	134,539	134,182	131,988	127,771	6,101	5,543	6,768	4.3	4.0	5.0
FOUR	197,663	196,118	191,842	188,462	186,326	184,041	9,201	9,792	7,801	4.7	5.0	4.1
FIVE	702,569	695,663	678,906	687,647	679,668	665,154	14,922	15,995	13,752	2.1	2.3	2.0
SIX	192,449	190,673	185,781	187,377	185,204	181,248	5,072	5,469	4,533	2.6	2.9	2.4
SEVEN	150,324	148,397	146,007	144,710	142,891	141,805	5,614	5,506	4,202	3.7	3.7	2.9
EIGHT	239,131	233,549	230,384	221,399	220,888	217,130	17,732	12,661	13,254	7.4	5.4	5.8
NINE	153,073	153,162	150,407	142,953	142,309	140,569	10,120	10,853	9,838	6.6	7.1	6.5
TEN	115,546	115,261	112,934	109,373	108,546	106,456	5,673	6,715	6,478	4.9	5.8	5.7
ELEVEN	292,645	290,265	284,139	284,499	281,065	275,652	8,146	9,200	8,487	2.8	3.2	3.0
TWELVE	145,331	143,912	139,833	137,993	137,017	133,731	7,338	6,895	6,102	5.0	4.8	4.4
THIRTEEN	205,637	206,595	201,816	196,812	196,230	191,800	8,825	10,365	10,016	4.3	5.0	5.0
FOURTEEN	447,265	449,655	439,723	428,476	427,191	417,473	18,789	22,464	22,250	4.2	5.0	5.1

ESTIMATED LABOR FORCE COMPONENTS FOR PLANNING DISTRICT COMMISSIONS

	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE			EMPLOYMENT			UNEMPLOYMENT			PERCENT OF LABOR FORCE		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
ACCOMACK-NORTHAMPTON PDC	19,966	19,893	19,611	19,000	18,838	18,386	966	1,055	1,225	4.8	5.3	6.2
CENTRAL SHENANDOAH PDC	117,747	116,456	114,603	112,123	111,008	110,184	5,624	5,448	4,419	4.8	4.7	3.9
CENTRAL VIRGINIA PDC	107,508	105,747	105,276	102,153	100,831	99,113	5,355	4,916	6,163	5.0	4.6	5.9
CRATER PDC	74,722	74,552	73,210	70,589	69,818	68,587	4,133	4,734	4,623	5.5	6.3	6.3
CUMBERLAND PLATEAU PDC	48,328	48,132	46,665	44,584	44,077	42,794	3,744	4,055	3,871	7.7	8.4	8.3
FIFTH PDC	140,283	137,531	134,539	134,182	131,988	127,771	6,101	5,543	6,768	4.3	4.0	5.0
LENOWISCO PDC	35,901	35,579	35,561	33,889	33,387	32,543	2,012	2,192	3,018	5.6	6.2	8.5
LORD FAIRFAX PDC	79,916	79,662	77,239	76,339	75,318	73,857	3,577	4,344	3,382	4.5	5.5	4.4
MIDDLE PENINSULA PDC	36,513	36,200	35,226	35,094	34,920	34,044	1,419	1,280	1,182	3.9	3.5	3.4
MOUNT ROGERS PDC	98,189	97,977	92,915	91,867	91,206	86,505	6,322	6,771	6,410	6.4	6.9	6.9
NEW RIVER VALLEY PDC	74,492	73,594	72,396	69,219	68,529	67,334	5,273	5,065	5,062	7.1	6.9	7.0
NORTHERN NECK PDC	19,426	19,213	18,765	18,394	18,257	17,845	1,032	956	920	5.3	5.0	4.9
NORTHERN VIRGINIA PDC	895,018	886,336	864,687	875,024	864,872	846,402	19,994	21,464	18,285	2.2	2.4	2.1
PENINSULA PDC	189,801	190,761	186,379	181,398	180,861	176,778	8,403	9,900	9,601	4.4	5.2	5.2
PIEDMONT PDC	37,413	37,582	37,129	34,664	34,673	34,520	2,749	2,909	2,609	7.3	7.7	7.0
RADCO PDC	85,262	84,440	81,668	80,919	80,371	78,478	4,343	4,069	3,190	5.1	4.8	3.9
RAPPAHANNOCK-RAPIDAN PDC	57,463	57,248	55,093	54,802	54,620	53,342	2,661	2,628	1,751	4.6	4.6	3.2
RICHMOND REGIONAL PDC	408,191	405,526	397,073	394,372	389,611	382,108	13,819	15,915	14,965	3.4	3.9	3.8
SOUTHEASTERN VIRGINIA PDC	447,265	449,655	439,723	428,476	427,191	417,473	18,789	22,464	22,250	4.2	5.0	5.1
SOUTHSIDE PDC	40,938	41,028	40,068	37,700	37,818	37,462	3,238	3,210	2,606	7.9	7.8	6.5
THOMAS JEFFERSON PDC	92,861	91,149	90,914	89,908	88,271	88,463	2,953	2,878	2,451	3.2	3.2	2.7
WEST PIEDMONT PDC	131,623	127,802	125,108	119,246	120,057	118,017	12,377	7,745	7,091	9.4	6.1	5.7

ESTIMATED LABOR FORCE COMPONENTS FOR CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS

	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE			EMPLOYMENT			UNEMPLOYMENT			PERCENT OF LABOR FORCE		
	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89	OCT90	SEP90	OCT89
1	291,646	292,055	285,692	278,615	277,559	271,657	13,031	14,496	14,035	4.5	5.0	4.9
2	271,966	273,367	267,459	261,435	260,660	254,775	10,531	12,707	12,684	3.9	4.6	4.7
3	350,619	348,379	341,215	338,307	334,223	327,787	12,312	14,156	13,428	3.5	4.1	3.9
4	274,195	275,324	269,270	260,349	259,019	253,939	13,846	16,305	15,331	5.0	5.9	5.7
5	274,531	269,189	265,718	252,992	252,844	249,731	21,539	16,345	15,987	7.8	6.1	6.0
6	306,235	301,409	296,398	292,351	288,350	282,576	13,884	13,059	13,822	4.5	4.3	4.7
7	315,788	312,777	304,267	303,300	299,721	294,262	12,488	13,056	10,005	4.0	4.2	3.3
8	726,526	719,496	701,496	709,775	701,541	686,557	16,751	17,955	14,939	2.3	2.5	2.1
9	245,649	244,282	236,644	229,055	226,904	218,773	16,594	17,378	17,871	6.8	7.1	7.6
10	181,671	179,785	175,689	177,763	175,701	171,949	3,908	4,084	3,740	2.2	2.3	2.1

CITY/COUNTY UNEMPLOYMENT DATA BY RANK OCTOBER, 1990 PRELIMINARY

RANK	NAME	CLF	EMP	UNEMP	RATE	RANK	NAME	CLF	EMP	UNEMP	RATE
1	LEXINGTON CITY	2,477	2,449	28	1.1	44	ROCKBRIDGE COUNTY	8,992	8,610	382	4.2
2	FAIRFAX CITY	14,945	14,716	229	1.5	44	BEDFORD CITY	2,880	2,758	122	4.2
3	NEW KENT COUNTY	6,058	5,961	97	1.6	48	NORTHAMPTON COUNTY	5,748	5,498	250	4.3
4	FALLS CHURCH CITY	6,813	6,697	116	1.7	48	NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY	4,437	4,244	193	4.3
4	MANASSAS PARK CITY	4,370	4,295	75	1.7	48	FREDERICKSBURG CITY	13,523	12,945	578	4.3
6	LOUDOUN COUNTY	49,417	48,480	937	1.9	51	APPOMATTOX COUNTY	6,399	6,119	280	4.4
7	FAIRFAX COUNTY	500,528	490,201	10,327	2.1	52	AMHERST COUNTY	13,359	12,752	607	4.5
8	MATHEWS COUNTY	3,841	3,757	84	2.2	52	ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY	11,620	11,101	519	4.5
9	HANOVER COUNTY	34,997	34,180	817	2.3	52	SCOTT COUNTY	10,487	10,019	468	4.5
10	JAMES CITY COUNTY	17,628	17,199	429	2.4	52	SUFFOLK CITY	26,875	25,663	1,212	4.5
10	WAYNESBORO CITY	11,647	11,366	281	2.4	52	LYNCHBURG CITY	37,016	35,348	1,668	4.5
10	ARLINGTON COUNTY	110,496	107,870	2,626	2.4	57	ESSEX COUNTY	4,939	4,712	227	4.6
13	PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY	111,762	108,922	2,840	2.5	57	NELSON COUNTY	5,362	5,115	247	4.6
14	CHARLOTTESVILLE CITY	26,201	25,526	675	2.6	57	EMPORIA CITY	2,871	2,740	131	4.6
15	FLUVANNA COUNTY	6,853	6,666	187	2.7	60	LANCASTER COUNTY	5,068	4,829	239	4.7
15	GLOUCESTER COUNTY	15,836	15,414	422	2.7	60	SURRY COUNTY	2,827	2,694	133	4.7
15	MANASSAS CITY	14,734	14,336	398	2.7	60	FRANKLIN CITY	3,181	3,033	148	4.7
15	HENRICO COUNTY	127,962	124,491	3,471	2.7	60	ROCKINGHAM COUNTY	37,192	35,439	1,753	4.7
19	YORK COUNTY	19,913	19,359	554	2.8	64	STAUNTON CITY	13,762	13,090	672	4.9
19	ALBEMARLE COUNTY	37,614	36,577	1,037	2.8	64	WILLIAMSBURG CITY	7,128	6,776	352	4.9
21	SHENANDOAH COUNTY	17,495	16,993	502	2.9	64	HAMPTON CITY	61,422	58,427	2,995	4.9
21	POQUOSON CITY	5,814	5,644	170	2.9	64	RICHMOND CITY	115,546	109,873	5,673	4.9
23	CHESTERFIELD COUNTY	107,111	103,943	3,168	3.0	68	ACCOMACK COUNTY	14,218	13,502	716	5.0
23	ALEXANDRIA CITY	81,953	79,507	2,446	3.0	68	CULPEPER COUNTY	12,809	12,164	645	5.0
25	SALEM CITY	13,980	13,550	430	3.1	68	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	3,422	3,250	172	5.0
26	GOOCHLAND COUNTY	6,802	6,586	216	3.2	68	GREENSVILLE COUNTY	4,473	4,251	222	5.0
26	MADISON COUNTY	5,919	5,727	192	3.2	68	NEWPORT NEWS CITY	77,896	73,993	3,903	5.0
28	CLARKE COUNTY	4,799	4,636	163	3.4	68	ROANOKE CITY	54,687	51,972	2,715	5.0
28	COLONIAL HEIGHTS CITY	10,095	9,756	339	3.4	74	BUCKINGHAM COUNTY	5,570	5,288	282	5.1
30	STAFFORD COUNTY	32,283	31,145	1,138	3.5	74	CAMPBELL COUNTY	25,473	24,165	1,308	5.1
30	ROANOKE COUNTY	44,155	42,604	1,551	3.5	76	KING WILLIAM COUNTY	5,492	5,207	285	5.2
32	CHARLES CITY COUNTY	3,763	3,629	134	3.6	76	MECKLENBURG COUNTY	15,070	14,280	790	5.2
33	FREDERICK COUNTY	23,238	22,357	881	3.8	78	BATH COUNTY	1,863	1,764	99	5.3
33	LOUISA COUNTY	10,995	10,580	415	3.8	78	CRAIG COUNTY	2,170	2,054	116	5.3
33	VIRGINIA BEACH CITY	173,373	166,813	6,560	3.8	80	PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY	6,878	6,505	373	5.4
33	CHESAPEAKE CITY	75,533	72,668	2,865	3.8	80	DANVILLE CITY	25,646	24,257	1,389	5.4
37	BOTETOURT COUNTY	14,187	13,631	556	3.9	80	MONTGOMERY COUNTY	33,345	31,550	1,795	5.4
37	SOUTHAMPTON COUNTY	6,445	6,191	254	3.9	83	SMYTH COUNTY	17,498	16,536	962	5.5
39	HARRISONBURG CITY	16,747	16,075	672	4.0	83	WARREN COUNTY	11,092	10,485	607	5.5
39	NORFOLK CITY	98,593	94,622	3,971	4.0	83	BRISTOL CITY	9,433	8,917	516	5.5
41	AMELIA COUNTY	3,739	3,586	153	4.1	86	DINWIDDIE COUNTY	9,132	8,621	511	5.6
41	POWHATAN COUNTY	5,952	5,709	243	4.1	86	RICHMOND COUNTY	3,880	3,664	216	5.6
41	WINCHESTER CITY	13,041	12,508	533	4.1	88	MIDDLESEX COUNTY	3,437	3,241	196	5.7
44	FAUQUIER COUNTY	25,903	24,825	1,078	4.2	88	ORANGE COUNTY	9,887	9,319	568	5.7
44	KING GEORGE COUNTY	7,242	6,940	302	4.2	88	CLIFTON FORGE CITY	1,925	1,815	110	5.7

CITY/COUNTY UNEMPLOYMENT DATA BY RANK OCTOBER, 1990 PRELIMINARY

RANK	NAME	CLF	EMP	UNEMP	RATE
91	SUSSEX COUNTY	5,390	5,071	319	5.9
91	WISE COUNTY	15,442	14,529	913	5.9
93	RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY	2,945	2,767	178	6.0
94	BEDFORD COUNTY	22,381	21,011	1,370	6.1
94	NOTTOWAY COUNTY	6,680	6,271	409	6.1
96	HOPEWELL CITY	12,045	11,300	745	6.2
96	NORTON CITY	1,671	1,567	104	6.2
98	LEE COUNTY	8,301	7,774	527	6.3
98	WASHINGTON COUNTY	24,954	23,378	1,576	6.3
98	RADFORD CITY	6,790	6,364	426	6.3
98	PORTSMOUTH CITY	51,645	48,385	3,260	6.3
102	WESTMORELAND COUNTY	6,041	5,657	384	6.4
102	WYTHE COUNTY	16,432	15,384	1,048	6.4
102	BUENA VISTA CITY	3,187	2,983	204	6.4
102	TAZEWELL COUNTY	20,399	19,100	1,299	6.4
106	CARROLL COUNTY	13,431	12,558	873	6.5
106	PETERSBURG CITY	21,011	19,651	1,360	6.5
108	ALLEGHANY COUNTY	5,819	5,434	385	6.6
109	FRANKLIN COUNTY	21,175	19,766	1,409	6.7
109	GREENE COUNTY	5,836	5,444	392	6.7
111	KING AND QUEEN COUNTY	2,968	2,763	205	6.9
111	AUGUSTA COUNTY	21,036	19,574	1,462	6.9
113	SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY	23,337	21,690	1,647	7.1
113	COVINGTON CITY	3,360	3,122	238	7.1
115	PATRICK COUNTY	9,681	8,964	717	7.4
116	CAROLINE COUNTY	8,877	8,199	678	7.6
117	GILES COUNTY	8,628	7,955	673	7.8
117	GRAYSON COUNTY	7,935	7,316	619	7.8
117	GALAX CITY	3,272	3,016	256	7.8
120	RUSSELL COUNTY	11,777	10,844	933	7.9
121	BUCHANAN COUNTY	11,630	10,676	954	8.2
122	BRUNSWICK COUNTY	7,803	7,153	650	8.3
123	HIGHLAND COUNTY	844	773	71	8.4
123	PULASKI COUNTY	19,270	17,650	1,620	8.4
125	PAGE COUNTY	10,251	9,360	891	8.7
126	BLAND COUNTY	5,234	4,762	472	9.0
127	LUNENBURG COUNTY	5,107	4,641	466	9.1
128	PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY	7,560	6,842	718	9.5
128	SOUTH BOSTON CITY	3,519	3,185	334	9.5
130	HALIFAX COUNTY	14,546	13,082	1,464	10.1
131	CHARLOTTE COUNTY	5,335	4,786	549	10.3
132	HENRY COUNTY	37,066	32,952	4,114	11.1
133	PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY	28,313	25,094	3,219	11.4
134	FLOYD COUNTY	6,459	5,700	759	11.8
135	DICKENSON COUNTY	4,522	3,964	558	12.3
136	MARTINSVILLE CITY	9,742	8,213	1,529	15.7

EXPLANATORY NOTES

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT STATISTICS

Data on nonagricultural payroll employment, hours, and earnings are collected by the Virginia Employment Commission in cooperation with the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, from payroll records of a sample of approximately 11,000 establishments. In most industries the sampling probabilities are based on the size of the establishment; most large establishments are therefore in the sample. Self-employed persons, domestic workers, and others not on a regular civilian payroll are outside the scope of the survey because they are excluded from establishment records.

Definitions:

Benchmark Adjustments. Employment estimates are compared periodically with comprehensive counts of employment which provide "benchmarks" for the various nonagricultural industries, and appropriate adjustments are made. The primary sources of benchmark information are employment data, by industry, compiled quarterly by the Virginia Employment Commission from reports of establishment covered under the unemployment insurance laws.

Earnings are the payments production or nonsupervisory workers receive during the survey period, including premium pay for overtime or late-shift work, but excluding irregular bonuses and other special payments. Average hourly earnings are on a gross basis, reflecting not only changes in basic hourly and incentive wage rates, but also such variable factors as premium pay for overtime and late-shift work and changes in output of workers paid on an incentive plan. Shifts in the volume of employment between relatively high-paid and low-paid work and changes in workers' earnings in individual establishments also affect the general averages. Averages for groups and divisions further reflect changes in average hourly earnings for individual industries.

Employed persons are all persons who received pay (including holiday and sick pay) for any part of the payroll period including the 12th of the month. Persons holding more than one job are counted in each establishment which reports them. From a sample composed of establishments reporting for both the previous and the current months, the ratio of current employment to that of the previous month is computed. This is called a link relative. The estimates of employment for the current month are obtained by multiplying the estimates for the previous month by these link relatives. Production workers in manufacturing include blue-collar worker supervisors and all nonsupervisory workers closely associated with production operations.

Goods-Producing Industries - Mining, Construction, and Manufacturing.

Hours represent the average weekly hours of production of nonsupervisory workers for which pay was received and is different from standard or scheduled hours. Such factors as unpaid absenteeism, labor turnover, part-time work, and stoppages cause average weekly hours to be lower than scheduled hours of work for an establishment. Group averages further reflect changes in the workweek of component industries.

Labor force and unemployment estimates for the state and standard metropolitan statistical areas are developed by the Virginia Employment Commission under a federal-state cooperative program. Estimates are derived from standardized procedures developed by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Reliability of Employment Estimates. The BLS establishment sample covers approximately 52.6 percent of the total employment for the state. Since small sampling and response errors cumulate over several months, there was a 1.1 percent adjustment in benchmark levels for the First Quarter 1989 benchmark.

Service-Producing Industries - Transportation, Communications, and Public Utilities; Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate; Services; and Government.

LOCAL AREA UNEMPLOYMENT STATISTICS

Data on the civilian labor force employment and unemployment estimates and unemployment rates for the United States, Virginia, Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs), Labor Market Areas (LMAs), Service Delivery Areas (SDAs), Planning District Commissions (PDCs), and all other Virginia cities and counties are developed by the Local Area Unemployment Statistics (LAUS) program in cooperation with the U. S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. Most recent month data are considered preliminary and are subject to revision. Employment and unemployment estimates are based on new 1989 benchmark levels.

GEOGRAPHIC AREAS

SERVICE DELIVERY AREAS

Area 1
- Buchanan Co.
- Dickenson Co.
- Lee Co.
- Russell Co.
- Scott Co.
- Tazewell Co.
- Wise Co.
- Norton City

Area 2
- Bland Co.
- Carroll Co.
- Floyd Co.
- Giles Co.
- Grayson Co.
- Montgomery Co.
- Pulaski Co.
- Smyth Co.
- Washington Co.
- Wythe Co.
- Bristol City
- Galax City
- Radford City

Area 3
- Alleghany Co.
- Botetourt Co.
- Craig Co.
- Roanoke Co.
- Clifton Forge City
- Covington City
- Roanoke City
- Salem City

Area 4
- Augusta Co.
- Bath Co.
- Clarke Co.
- Frederick Co.
- Highland Co.
- Page Co.

Area 4 (Continued)
- Rockbridge Co.
- Rockingham Co.
- Shenandoah Co.
- Warren Co.
- Buena Vista City
- Harrisonburg City
- Lexington City
- Staunton City
- Waynesboro City
- Winchester City

Area 5
- Fairfax Co.
- Loudoun Co.
- Prince William Co.
- Fairfax City
- Falls Church City
- Manassas City
- Manassas Park City

Area 6
- Arlington Co.
- Alexandria City

Area 7
- Albemarle Co.
- Culpeper Co.
- Fauquier Co.
- Fluvanna Co.
- Greene Co.
- Louisa Co.
- Madison Co.
- Nelson Co.
- Orange Co.
- Rappahannock Co.
- Charlottesville City

Area 8
- Amherst Co.
- Appomattox Co.
- Bedford Co.

Area 8 (Continued)
- Campbell Co.
- Franklin Co.
- Henry Co.
- Patrick Co.
- Pittsylvania Co.
- Bedford City
- Danville City
- Lynchburg City
- Martinsville City

Area 9
- Amelia Co.
- Brunswick Co.
- Buckingham Co.
- Charlotte Co.
- Cumberland Co.
- Dinwiddie Co.
- Greensville Co.
- Halifax Co.
- Lunenburg Co.
- Mecklenburg Co.
- Nottoway Co.
- Prince Edward Co.
- Prince George Co.
- Surry Co.
- Sussex Co.
- Colonial Heights City
- Emporia City
- Hopewell City
- Petersburg City
- South Boston City

Area 10
- Richmond City

Area 11
- Charles City Co.
- Chesterfield Co.
- Goochland Co.
- Hanover Co.
- Henrico Co.

Area 11 (Continued)
- New Kent Co.
- Powhatan Co.

Area 12
- Accomack Co.
- Caroline Co.
- Essex Co.
- King George Co.
- King & Queen Co.
- King William Co.
- Lancaster Co.
- Mathews Co.
- Middlesex Co.
- Northampton Co.
- Northumberland Co.
- Richmond Co.
- Spotsylvania Co.
- Stafford Co.
- Westmoreland Co.
- Fredericksburg City

Area 13
- Gloucester Co.
- James City Co.
- York Co.
- Hampton City
- Newport News City
- Poquoson City
- Williamsburg City

Area 14
- Isle of Wight Co.
- Southampton Co.
- Chesapeake City
- Franklin City
- Norfolk City
- Portsmouth City
- Suffolk City
- Virginia Beach City

PLANNING DISTRICT COMMISSIONS

1. LENOWISCO PDC
   - Lee County
   - Scott County
   - Wise County
   - Norton City

2. Cumberland Plateau PDC
   - Buchanan County
   - Dickenson County
   - Russell County
   - Tazewell County

3. Mount Rogers PDC
   - Bland County
   - Carroll County
   - Grayson County
   - Smyth County
   - Washington County
   - Wythe County
   - Bristol City
   - Galax City

4. New River Valley PDC
   - Floyd County
   - Giles County
   - Montgomery County
   - Pulaski County
   - Radford City

5. Fifth PDC
   - Alleghany County
   - Botetourt County
   - Craig County
   - Roanoke County
   - Clifton Forge City
   - Covington City
   - Roanoke City
   - Salem City

6. Central Shenandoah PDC
   - Augusta County
   - Bath County
   - Highland County
   - Rockbridge County
   - Rockingham County
   - Buena Vista City
   - Harrisonburg City
   - Lexington City
   - Staunton City
   - Waynesboro City

7. Lord Fairfax PDC
   - Clarke County
   - Frederick County
   - Page County
   - Shenandoah County
   - Warren County
   - Winchester City

8. Northern Virginia PDC
   - Arlington County
   - Fairfax County
   - Loudoun County
   - Prince William County
   - Alexandria City
   - Fairfax City
   - Falls Church City
   - Manassas City
   - Manassas Park City

9. Rappahannock-Rapidan PDC
   - Culpeper County
   - Fauquier County
   - Madison County
   - Orange County
   - Rappahannock County

10. Thomas Jefferson PDC
    - Albemarle County
    - Fluvanna County
    - Greene County
    - Louisa County
    - Nelson County
    - Charlottesville City

11. Central Virginia PDC
    - Amherst County
    - Appomattox County
    - Bedford County
    - Campbell County
    - Bedford City
    - Lynchburg City

12. West Piedmont PDC
    - Franklin County
    - Henry County
    - Patrick County
    - Pittsylvania County
    - Danville City
    - Martinsville City

13. Southside PDC
    - Brunswick County
    - Halifax County
    - Mecklenburg County
    - South Boston City

14. Piedmont PDC
    - Amelia County
    - Buckingham County
    - Charlotte County
    - Cumberland County
    - Lunenburg County
    - Nottoway County
    - Prince Edward County

15. Richmond Regional PDC
    - Charles City County
    - Chesterfield County
    - Goochland County
    - Hanover County
    - Henrico County
    - New Kent County
    - Powhatan County
    - Richmond City

16. RADCO PDC
    - Caroline County
    - King George County
    - Spotsylvania County
    - Stafford County
    - Fredericksburg City

17. Northern Neck PDC
    - Lancaster County
    - Northumberland County
    - Richmond County
    - Westmoreland County

18. Middle Peninsula PDC
    - Essex County
    - Gloucester County
    - King and Queen County
    - King William County
    - Mathews County
    - Middlesex County

19. Crater PDC
    - Dinwiddie County
    - Greensville County
    - Prince George County
    - Surry County
    - Sussex County
    - Colonial Heights City
    - Emporia City
    - Hopewell City
    - Petersburg City

20. Southeastern Virginia PDC
    - Isle of Wight County
    - Southampton County
    - Chesapeake City
    - Franklin City
    - Norfolk City
    - Portsmouth City
    - Suffolk City
    - Virginia Beach City

21. Peninsula PDC
    - James City County
    - York County
    - Hampton City
    - Newport News City
    - Poquoson City
    - Williamsburg City

22. Accomack-Northampton PDC
    - Accomack County
    - Northampton County

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS

1st District
- Accomack Co.
- Caroline Co.
- Charles City Co.
- Essex Co.
- Gloucester Co.
- James City Co.
- King & Queen Co.
- King George Co.
- King William Co.
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- York Co.
- Hampton City
- Newport News City
- Poquoson City
- Williamsburg City

2nd District
- Norfolk City
- Virginia Beach City

3rd District
- Chesterfield Co.
- Henrico Co.
- Richmond City

4th District
- Amelia Co.
- Brunswick Co.
- Dinwiddie Co.
- Greensville Co.

4th District (Continued)
- Isle of Wight Co.
- Nottoway Co.
- Powhatan Co.
- Prince George Co.
- Southampton Co.
- Surry Co.
- Sussex Co.
- Chesapeake City
- Colonial Heights City
- Emporia City
- Franklin City
- Hopewell City
- Petersburg City
- Portsmouth City
- Suffolk City

5th District
- Appomattox Co.
- Bedford Co.
- Buckingham Co.
- Campbell Co.
- Carroll Co.
- Charlotte Co.
- Cumberland Co.
- Fluvanna Co.
- Franklin Co.
- Halifax Co.
- Henry Co.
- Lunenburg Co.
- Mecklenburg Co.
- Nelson Co.
- Patrick Co.
- Pittsylvania Co.
- Prince Edward Co.
- Bedford City
- Danville City
- Martinsville City
- South Boston City

6th District
- Alleghany Co.
- Amherst Co.
- Augusta Co.
- Bath Co.
- Botetourt Co.
- Highland Co.
- Roanoke Co.
- Rockbridge Co.
- Rockingham Co.
- Buena Vista City
- Clifton Forge City
- Covington City
- Harrisonburg City
- Lexington City
- Lynchburg City
- Roanoke City
- Salem City
- Staunton City
- Waynesboro City

7th District
- Albemarle Co.
- Clarke Co.
- Culpeper Co.
- Fauquier Co.
- Frederick Co.
- Goochland Co.
- Greene Co.
- Hanover Co.
- Louisa Co.
- Madison Co.
- Orange Co.
- Page Co.
- Rappahannock Co.
- Shenandoah Co.
- Spotsylvania Co.
- Warren Co.
- Charlottesville City
- Fredericksburg City

7th District (Continued)
- Manassas City
- Manassas Park City
- Winchester City

8th District
- Fairfax Co.
- Prince William Co.
- Stafford Co.
- Alexandria City

9th District
- Bland Co.
- Buchanan Co.
- Craig Co.
- Dickenson Co.
- Floyd Co.
- Giles Co.
- Grayson Co.
- Lee Co.
- Montgomery Co.
- Pulaski Co.
- Russell Co.
- Scott Co.
- Smyth Co.
- Tazewell Co.
- Washington Co.
- Wise Co.
- Wythe Co.
- Bristol City
- Galax City
- Norton City
- Radford City

10th District
- Arlington Co.
- Loudoun Co.
- Fairfax City
- Falls Church City

METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS

1. Virginia Portion of Bristol MSA
   - Scott Co.
   - Washington Co.
   - Bristol City

2. Charlottesville MSA
   - Albemarle Co.
   - Fluvanna Co.
   - Greene Co.
   - Charlottesville City

3. Danville MSA
   - Pittsylvania Co.
   - Danville City

4. Lynchburg MSA
   - Amherst Co.
   - Campbell Co.
   - Lynchburg City

5. Norfolk Va. Beach-Newport News MSA
   - Gloucester Co.
   - James City Co.
   - York Co.
   - Chesapeake City
   - Hampton City
   - Newport News City
   - Norfolk City
   - Poquoson City
   - Portsmouth City
   - Suffolk City
   - Virginia Beach City
   - Williamsburg City

6. Virginia Portion of Washington, DC MSA
   - Arlington Co.
   - Fairfax Co.
   - Loudoun Co.
   - Prince William Co.
   - Stafford Co.
   - Alexandria City
   - Fairfax City
   - Falls Church City
   - Manassas City
   - Manassas Park City

7. Richmond-Petersburg
   - Charles City Co.
   - Chesterfield Co.
   - Dinwiddie Co.
   - Goochland Co.
   - Hanover Co.
   - Henrico Co.
   - New Kent Co.
   - Powhatan Co.
   - Prince George Co.
   - Colonial Heights
   - Hopewell City
   - Petersburg City
   - Richmond City

8. Roanoke MSA
   - Botetourt Co.
   - Roanoke Co.
   - Roanoke City
   - Salem City

LABOR MARKET AREAS

1. Accomack-Northampton LMA
   - Accomack Co.
   - Northampton Co.

2. Bath-Highland LMA
   - Bath Co.
   - Highland Co.

3. Bedford LMA
   - Bedford Co.
   - Bedford City

4. Buena Vista LMA
   - Rockbridge Co.
   - Buena Vista City
   - Lexington City

5. Covington LMA
   - Alleghany Co.
   - Clifton Forge City
   - Covington City

6. Cumberland-Prince Edward LMA
   - Cumberland Co.
   - Prince Edward Co.

7. Emporia LMA
   - Greensville Co.
   - Emporia City

8. Essex-Richmond LMA
   - Essex Co.
   - Richmond Co.

9. Franklin-Isle of Wight-Southampton LMA
   - Isle of Wight Co.
   - Southampton Co.
   - Franklin City

10. Fredericksburg LMA
    - Spotsylvania Co.
    - Fredericksburg City

11. Galax LMA
    - Carroll Co.
    - Grayson Co.
    - Galax City

12. Harrisonburg LMA
    - Rockingham Co.
    - Harrisonburg City

13. King and Queen-King William LMA
    - King and Queen Co.
    - King William Co.

14. Lancaster-Northumberland LMA
    - Lancaster Co.
    - Northumberland Co.

15. Martinsville LMA
    - Henry Co.
    - Patrick Co.
    - Martinsville City

16. Norton LMA
    - Lee Co.
    - Wise Co.
    - Norton City

17. Radford LMA
    - Floyd Co.
    - Giles Co.
    - Montgomery Co.
    - Pulaski Co.
    - Radford City

18. South Boston LMA
    - Halifax Co.
    - South Boston City

19. Staunton-Waynesboro
    - Augusta Co.
    - Staunton City
    - Waynesboro City

20. Winchester LMA
    - Frederick Co.
    - Winchester City